The Weather— Snow tonight and tomorrow with slowly rising temperature.

TAKES IN WASHING AND OWNS AN AUTO.

Battle Creek, Mich., March 13.—Mrs. Christian K. Huber, a washerwoman of this city, who rides in an automobile purchased with money she earned over the tub, is the most conspicuous motor car enthusiast in the city. She does from eighteen to twenty-four family washings in a week and makes about $25 in six days.

The Lima Daily News.

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EGG-CUPS ARE NOW RENDERED USELESS.

Newton N. J., March 13.—Robert E. Foster, Jr., has succeeded, with the able assistance of his white leghorn roosters and hens, in developing eggs with handles. On the small end of the egg is a protuberance from the shell about as big as the handle of a tiny demi-tasse. The butt of the egg is flattened so that the egg stands by itself.

Chicago Wins Big Victory

Contention Regarding Franchises Upheld by Supreme Court.

MAYOR DUNNE IS JUBILANT

Claims That No Perpetual Grants Are Now in Effect, and That the Traction Companies Now Occupy the Streets of the Windy City Only By Sufferance.

Chicago, March 13.—By the supreme court decision Chicago gains almost complete control of the local traction situation. The decision sustains the acts of the state legislature extending the life of the charters of the street railway companies to 99 years, but does not sustain the contention of the companies that contract rights which are limited to fewer years than remain to the charter life of the companies are also extended. Contracts or ordinances of the city limiting the use of the streets by the companies are upheld, and the rights of the companies in the streets are held to expire according to the expressed terms of the ordinances. In its effect the decision leaves the Union Traction company without any right whatever other than by sufferance in the streets of the north division of the city.

It leaves the Union Traction company in the west division without rights excepting where the ordinances contain a purchase clause.

It leaves the Chicago City Railway company, which operates all the street car lines on the south side of the city, without right excepting where the ordinances contain a purchase clause.

The original franchises granted to the street car companies were for 99 years inside the city limits as they existed in 1865. The companies have extended their tracks as the boundaries of the city have been enlarged and have claimed that the extended lines which were built under franchises from the city were also operative under the 99-year act. The court also denies the claim of the companies that they have been vested with the exclusive rights for 99 years to enter into contracts with the city for the occupancy of Chicago's streets for street railway purposes. The decision also holds that the street car companies could receive only such grants as the city might give and upon such terms and such conditions, including the time of the grant, as that city might prescribe.

The city has all along admitted that the 99 year act is valid, but claimed that it did not extend the ordinances under which the street car companies are operating at present.

"It is a sweeping victory for the city," said Mayor Dunne. "There are no 99 year franchises in the city of Chicago, according to this decision, and no indefinite or perpetual grants in the outlying territory. We have the traction companies now in a position where we can negotiate for the purchase of lines. If they do not want to sell at a fair price, we can declare our rights under the decision."

STRIKE IS IMMINENT

Mitchell Believes Operators Are Trying to Force the Struggle.

Onyl Intervention of the President can Help, And Even That is Doubtful of Success.

Indianapolis, Ind., March 13.—President John Mitchell of the United Mine Workers arrived here at 1 30 o'clock yesterday afternoon but did not go direct to his office. When seen immediately after his arrival he at first said there was nothing to give out. On being pressed for a statement he said:

"According to the operators and from their statements it looks very much like they anticipate a strike.

"I have today called a meeting of the 36 members of the special commission appoined by the Shamokin convention to meet here with me on the fifteenth. The counter proposition of the operators will then be taken up and discussed. The outcome cannot be told.

Is Not a Prophet.

"It will depend very much on the action of the committee what reply will be made, and as I do not know the thoughts or the attitude of the commitee men, I cannot say what will be done."

The action of the anthracite operators is apt to be confused with the forth coming meeting of bituminous operators and miners here next Monday. Only insofar as the action of the bituminous operators is concerned at the interstate conference next week is there any certainty in the forthcoming interstate conference in regard to the present situation.

The anthracite miners' delegates, however, will be present Thursday at the opening of the United Mine Workers' special convention, and the anthracite situation will be fully discussed at that time.

Owners' Proposal Doomed.

The prevailing opinion is that the counter-proposition of the operators will be promptly turned down.

Then, if President Roosevelt interferes at all before negotiations are broken off, he will throw his influence into the breach and try to prevent either a walkout or a lockout.

President Mitchell refused to speak of the Philadelphia conference of yesterday, saying that the consultation was of a confidential nature.

GRIND

Of the Sheeley Dynamiting Case is on Again

JURY REPORTED AT TWO O'CLOCK MONDAY AFTERNOON AND CONTINUATION OF DEFENSE IS ON. ANOTHER WEEK'S WORK LOOMS UP AHEAD.

(Wapakoneta News.)

The grind of the Sheeley dynamiting case is on again. After a rest since Thursday afternoon, the court, jurors, attorneys and witnesses reported for duty at two o'clock this afternoon, with the defense up and ready for a continuation of the introduction of its testimony.

Since the adjournment last week there have been no new developments in the matter and the threads of the defense will be started to run at exactly the place left off last Thursday. The fact that three deaths, affecting the trial have already occurred has created much comment and has caused the superstitions to whisper among themselves. To this is added the statement that Joseph Petrie, one of the men indicted with Sheeley, and a leading witness for the defense for the present proceeding, is ill in bed at his home in Montezuma, and though it had been the intention to again place him on the stand, it is stated that he is too ill to attend court. W. H. McClintock, secretary of state, who is one of the witnesses for the prosecution, had a severe attack of asthma while attending the trial here, and after going to Columbus last Thursday, was taken to his home at Defiance in a critical condition.

Lee Sheeley, one of the men accused, a son of Isaac Sheeley, the first witness called this afternoon is now on the stand.

FORMER

Mayor of Cincinnati Was Struck

BY A STREET CAR THIS MORNING AND HIS CONDITION IS CONSIDERED SERIOUS.

CINCINNATI, OHIO, MARCH 13.—SPECIAL—FORMER MAYOR GUSTAV TAFEL, OF CINCINNATI, WAS STRUCK BY A STREET CAR HERE THIS MORNING AND HIS CONDITION IS CONSIDERED SERIOUS.

Practually Completed

Is Work of Committee in Charge of Municipal Government Plan.

WILL BE REPORTED TODAY.

Powers of the Mayors Greatly Enlarged Under the Proposed New Code--Senators Preparing to Press a Pure Salary Bill--Many Bills Introduced in Both Branches.

Columbus, O., March 13.—It is expected that the house cities committee will report today the so called federal plan of government which is based upon the recommendations made by the mayors' convention representatives. The work of the committee was practically completed Saturday night and the work of drafting the several proposed new sections has been placed in the hands of sub-committees of the cities committee.

Under the proposed new code the powers of the mayor are greatly enlarged. Boards of public safety and of public service are abolished and the mayor is given authority to name a director for each branch of the service who will have full charge of the department and who will be a member of the board of control. This board will consist of the mayor and the two directors and it will have power to make contracts for expenditures of less than $500.

As a check upon the additional power given the mayor the new bill creates a department of civil service, which will not be under the control of that officer, the appointing power being lodged elsewhere. This commission will classify the various city employes, including even the street laborers, and the mayor must make all appointments from the certified list of eligibles. Power is given the mayor to discharge any city employe, but in the case of a policeman, fireman or sanitary officer, appeal may be taken to the civil service commission. All other employes are to be given a hearing by the mayor before discharge becomes effective.

Senators Lamb, Beatty, West, Brandt, Gayman and several others of those most active in the demand for a pure salary bill, will meet this morning and determine upon a definite outline of amendments to be offered to the Wilson bill when it comes up for passage in the senate today. Yesterday's caucus was fruitless of result.

Bills introduced in senate: Mr. Williams of Cuyahoga, to conform terms of councilmen to biennial election law; Mr. Howe of Cuyahoga, to extend statutory limitation for offenses against ballot from six months to two years; Mr. Sites of Fairfield, to raise Dow tax to $1,000; Mr. Schmidt of Cuyahoga, to protect witnesses at legislative investigations from incrimination by their own testimony.

Bills introduced in house: Mr. Neely of Auglaize, providing for a state commission to establish a uniform system of text books for public schools and establish a maximum price; Mr. Watson of Carroll, to increase pay of members of the general assembly to $1,200 a year, to be paid in installments of $100 a month, and also two cents per mile each way for traveling expenses; Mr. Roberts of Cuyahoga, to compel removal of all screens from front of saloons after closing hours, and to prohibit sale of liquor within 500 feet of school or church; Mr. Hunt of Hamilton, to disfranchise for ten years persons guilty of repeating, illegal voting, bribery or perjury; Mr. Hunt of Hamilton, authorizing corporations to issue bonds in excess of the amount of their capital stock; Mr. Hunt of Hamilton, providing for the appointment of a commission of three by the governor to ascertain the value of the canal within the limits of Cincinnati, in order that the same may be purchased by the city for boulevard purposes; Mr. Burckhardt of Hamilton, providing that in counties where there are two agricultural societies the per capita tax shall be divided between them, Mr. Bassett of Lucas, repeals the Lehman line fence law enacted two years ago and re-enacts the previous old law; Mr. Lehman of Sandusky, to require street railways to pave 23 feet for double tracks and 12 for single tracks; Mr. Holles of Stark, fixing the salary of state school commissioner at $4,000 a year; Mr. Harper of Summit, providing that no franchise shall be granted or renewed without submission to the people, where ten per cent of the electors of the municipality ask for such a vote.

EMPLOYES

OF THE SOUTHERN RAILWAY THIS MORNING SIGN THE COMPANY'S WAGE SCALE AND THERE WILL BE NO STRIKE.

WASHINGTON, D. C., MARCH 13—SPECIAL—THE SOUTHERN RAILWAY TELEGRAPHERS AND AGENTS' COMMITTEE, THIS MORNING FILED THE COMPANY'S WAGE SCALE, THEREBY SETTLING A TROUBLE WHICH HAS THREATENED A STRIKE FOR SOME TIME.

COUNTESS

CASTELLANE WANTS AN ABSOLUTE DIVORCE AND FILED PETITION THIS MORNING.

PARIS, MARCH 13.—SPECIAL—COUNTESS CASTELLANE FILED A PETITION THIS MORNING FOR AN ABSOLUTE DIVORCE.

CLOSE OF AN EVENTFUL LIFE

End Came Peacefully to Miss Anthony at Her Rochester Home.

DEATH WAS NOT UNEXPECTED.

Had Suffered With Valvular Heart Trouble For Several Years--Lived to Witness a Revolution in Public Sentiment From Time of Her First Lecture on Abolition.

Rochester, N. Y., March 13.—The long and eventful life of Susan B. Anthony closed at 12 40 o'clock this morning. The end came peacefully. Miss Anthony had been unconscious practically for 24 hours and her death had been momentarily expected since Sunday night. Only her wonderful constitution kept her alive. Dr. M. S. Ricker, her attending physician, said Miss Anthony died of heart failure induced by double pneumonia. She had had serious valvular heart trouble for the last six or seven years. Her lungs were practically clear of pneumonia and yielded to treatment, but the weakness of her heart prevented her recovery.

Miss Anthony was greatly beloved in this city, which had been her home since 1845. She lived to see a decided change in sentiment from the time in the winter of 1861, when she was

SUSAN B. ANTHONY.

hissed and hooted when she attempted to give a lecture on abolition in Corinthian hall. That lecture tour which started in Buffalo was a series of riots, but Miss Anthony never flinched. The insults heaped upon her culminated in Syracuse, where she was egged and burned in effigy. Her life for the past few years had been strongly in contrast to those stormy times. She lived with her sister, Miss Mary Anthony, whose devotion to "Susan B.," as she invariably called her, was touching. Their cosy home was the mecca of all suffragists. The last important function held there was last fall, when the state suffrage convention met here.

Feeling that her life could not long continue, Miss Anthony evedently was disturbed by a desire to express some wish with regard to her will, and on Wednesday last she said to her sister: "Write to Anna Shaw immediately and tell her that I desire every cent I leave when I pass out of this life shall be given to the fund which Miss Thomas and Miss Garret are raising for the cause. I have given my life and all I am to it, and now I want my last act to be to give all I have—the last cent. Tell Anna Shaw to see that this is done."

In compliance with Miss Anthony's request, Miss Mary Anthony wrote immediately, and within an hour after the letter was sent Miss Shaw unexpectedly arrived at Miss Anthony's home. On the following day, when she was permitted to see Miss Anthony for a few moments, Miss Anthony repeated her request, and with evident emotion told of her great love and longing for the success of "the great cause that underlies all reforms, the greatest boon of all—freedom."

She urged Miss Shaw and her sister to see that her wish was carried out at once. She had no thought but for her life's work and the workers, declaring that both were, as ever, dearer to her than her life.

FOUR

Workmen Fatally Burned by Metal

Explosion at Cleveland This Afternoon.

CLEVELAND, OHIO, MARCH 13.—SPECIAL—FOUR WORKMEN WERE FATALLY BURNED IN A METAL EXPLOSION AT THE NATIONAL MALLEABLE CASTING COMPANY'S PLANT HERE THIS AFTERNOON.

Harry Stilson, formerly of the Lima House Barber Shop, now connected with the City Bank Barber Shop.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the U. B. church, will meet next Thursday at the home of Mrs. Furlong, 139 Harison avenue. A full attendance is desired.

This Want Ad appeared in the News.

Local Factories

Have learned that the best way to secure boys is in this manner:

WANTED—Two boys, 16 or 18 years old, as time-keepers. Apply at Supt's office, ——Co.

Boys out of work have learned, too, that jobs can be done by consulting the News Want Column.

LIVELY DEBATE

On the Tillman-Gillespie Resolution in the Senate.

Washington, March 13.—There was a sharp division of opinion in the senate over the question whether the Tillman-Gillespie resolution, instructing the interstate commerce commission to inquire into railroad holdings of coal and oil lands was of a character justifying the president's message regarding it. Senator Tillman complained that the president had charged the congress with insincerity, pretense and ignorance, and Senators Lodge and Spooner took the position that the charge of ignorance was warranted. The debate was spirited, but it was interrupted at 2 o'clock, when the railroad rate bill was called up, and Senator Culbertson made a two hours' legal argument, in which he supported a bill of his own which he introduced as a substitute for the pending house bill. Senators Elkins and Bacon announced that they would discuss the resolution and message later, and predicted that several others would do the same.

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SPORT

SPORTING EVENTS OF THE WEFK

Turf.

New Orleans—Continuation of the winter meeting of the City Park Jockey Club at City Park.

Continuation of the winter meeting of the Crescent City Jockey Club at the Fair Grounds.

San Francisco—Continuation of the winter meeting of the New California Jockey Club at Oakland.

Los Angeles—Closing week of the winter meeting of the Los Angeles Jockey Club at Ascot Park.

Hot Springs—Continuation of the winter meeting of the Oaklawn Jockey Club at Oaklawn Park.

Base Ball.

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday—Reds practice at Marlin.

Saturday and Sunday—Red Veterans at San Antonio, Red Colt at Austin.

Monday—Central League schedule meeting at Grand Rapids.

Bowling.

National Bowling Tournament opens at Louisville on Saturday, March 17, to continue 19 days.

Boxing.

MONDAY.

At Chelsea—Rouse O'Brien vs. Chester Goodwin.

At Philadelphia—Tommy Sullivan vs. Jack Clancy.

At Peoria—Kid Taylor vs. Harry Forbes.

TUESDAY.

At Frisco—Leo Powell vs. Jack Brown.

At Marlboro—Willie Lewis vs. Fred Douglass.

At Augusta, Me.—Terry Martin and Bart Connelly.

At Thornton, R. I.—Young Donohue and Max Freeman.

WEDNESDAY.

At Philadelphia—Terry McGovern vs. Battling Nelson.

At Grand Rapids—Benny Yanger vs. Kid Herman.

At Indianapolis—Frank Russell vs. Clarence English.

THURSDAY.

At Peoria—Otto Sialoff vs. Milt Kenney.

FRIDAY.

At Los Angeles—Mike (Twin) Sullivan vs. Joe Gans.

SATURDAY.

At North Vernon, Ind.—Sam Van Ness vs. Jack Grim.

TICKETS

For McGovern-Nelson Go Are

Selling at a Premium In Philadelphia.

NELSON IS THE FAVORITE AT ODDS OF 3 TO 1—ONE BET MADE THAT THE TERRIBLE TERRY WILL NOT LAST FOUR ROUNDS.

THE BOXERS' SECONDS.

Terry McGovern's seconds will probably be Charley Mayhood, Danny Dougherty and Hughey McGovern.

Manager Nolan announces the names of Nelson's seconds for battle. They are Hughey McMann, Frankie McKinley, Eddie Kelly and Kid Abel.

All of these boys will be in Nelson's corner, but none of them will be allowed to say a word to Nelson during the fight. The only instructions that Nelson receives will come from Nolan himself.

Philadelphia, Penn., March 13.—With the Battling Nelson-Terry McGovern bout only two days off, the talk of the battle is now at a fever heat. While McGovern practically finished his training last week, the Battler, who never takes any chances, is still at it, and will not let up much in his daily training stunts until tomorrow night.

This morning Battling was up early and resumed his regular training. After an early breakfast and a rest for several hours Nelson started out for a five-mile run. Following a rubdown came luncheon at noon. Trainer Nolan's program for this afternoon consisted of three hours' hard work indoors, including boxing bouts with his three sparring partners, rope skipping, &c., and another long run before supper time.

The Battler was never in better physical shape for a contest than he will be to meet McGovern on Wednesday night. He is counting upon certain victory and upon winning inside of four rounds.

In the betting Nelson is a strong favorite, wagers being laid around town at 3 to 1, and in several cases odds were given that McGovern will not last the six rounds. One bet was made in a prominent cafe at even money that McGovern would not last four rounds. The Nelson people figure that McGovern cannot knock Nelson out, at least not in six rounds, while the chances are that the Battler will do the trick to Terry inside the limit.

The demand for tickets to see the bout is unprecedented in local pugilistic history. Speculators, who have got hold of some of the tickets, are demanding astounding prices for them—$25 this morning for a $5 seat, and as high as $40 for a $10 seat ticket.

DOWN TO WEIGHT.

McGovern in Great Shape For His Go Wednesday Night.

New York, March 13.—Down to weight and in the best of physical condition, the result of weeks of conscientious and vigorous athletic exercise, Terry McGovern is ready for his bout with Battling Nelson in Philadelphia on Wednesday night. The former champion practically finished his training preparation for the battle today. His exercise was of a rather mild character.

Feel languid, weak, run-down? Headache? Stomach "off"?—Just a plain case of lazy liver. Burdock Blood Bitters tones liver and stomach, promotes digestion, purifies the blood.

HELPED THEM OUT.

Stranded Show Company Sent to Lima By Sympathizers.

(Delphos Herald.)

The members of the "Too Rich to Marry" show company, who were stranded in Delphos, last week, succeeded in getting out of town, Saturday evening. A number of people came to their assistance and contributed enough coin with which to buy them tickets to Lima. It is said that there is a gentleman in that city who will place the company on its feet financially, and again start them on the road. Verily, the way of the showman is oftimes very rocky.

Excursions

ERIE RAILROAD.

Special one way Colonist rates to California, Washington, Oregon, Montana, Idaho and Nevada, on sale daily up to April 7th.

Special low rates one way and round trip rates March 20th, to Kansas, Oklahoma, Indian Territory, Texas and Arkansas.

Homeseekers tickets sold first and third Tuesday of each month to points in the west, and southwest.

Tourist tickets on sale daily to Colorado points, Mexico and points on the Pacific Coast.

For information apply to W. S. Morrison, Agent, Erie Railroad. Phones 68-2.

OPINION

Of Attorney General Wade H. Ellis

TO THE EFFECT THAT NEW LAW WILL RELEASE OVER A HUNDRED PENITENTIARY PRISONERS.

There are 160 prisoners in the Ohio penitentiary who are eligible, according to Attorney General Wade H. Ellis's opinion, to release owing to the passage of a new law.

These men are serving time for burglarizing uninhabited dwellings.

The new law reduces the minimum penalty for this crime from five to one year. Through this the vast number of prisoners now serving time for the crime will seek parole and each county will have a chance to welcome the return of a familiar face.

Among the 160 convicts who may secure their freedom is one woman.

According to the attorney generals opinion the law applies to prisoners now serving sentences.

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THE CAPITOL SALOON AND RESTAURANT.

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Amusements

In this era of good times people have plenty of money to spend for amusement, theatrical ventures have prospered to a degree heretofore unknown. Elmer Walters' attraction, "A Millionaire Tramp" has shared in this prosperity, and to such a great extent as to cause surprise and wonderment among the theatrical fraternity. Opening as it did with but few City bookings, it scored such an instantaneous success on the occasion of its opening in Chicago, that Mr. Walters was besieged with requests for bookings by city managers from Denver to New York. In Chicago, Indianapolis, Toledo and other large cities, records were broken. In Denver, the police stopped the sale of tickets, so great was the crush. The smaller cities duplicated, as far as capacity would permit, and the close of the season showed a handsome sum on the good side of Mr. Walters' ledger.

"A Millionaire Tramp" will be seen here at the Faurot Opera House tonight.

The title role in George Ade's comedy, "The College Widow," of which this city will obtain its first view on next Thursday evening at Faurot Opera House, is played by Miss Dorothy Tennant, whose charms of physique and manner have caused her to be one of the most photographed young women in America. The character presented by Miss Tennant finds its prototype in every college town. Of course, she is not really a widow, but the train of fractured hearts she has left in the wake of her innocent flirtations has won for her the designation from which the play obtains its title. Miss Tennant is not the only beautiful girl in The College Widow" cast, however, for Henry W. Savage has selected an unusually comely array of femininity for the various roles in the comedy.

In "The Lightning Conductor" which comes to the Faurot Opera House next Friday evening with Mr. Herbert Kelcey and Miss Effie Shannon in the stellar roles, the management have added an extravagant panorama to the very successful play. In the first act the motor car with two ladies in distress—the crank of the motor having broken—is seen in the fore ground. In the background a panoramic view is unfolded of the beautiful scenery between Dieppe and Paris. As the panorama rolls rapidly by it shows views of farms orchards, vineyards, occasionally a group of peasants working in the distance.

On hill-tops, turretted castles, remnants of medieval days, a scene which hundreds of Americans pay thousands of dollars to see every year. In the second act of this charming three act comedy, Mr. Smith brings his motor car to the south of France as far as Tours and here again the semi-tropical is pictured in a series of magnificent stage views, the last being the picturesque and famous inn at Tours.

FURTIVE

And Captivating Smile Was an Asset of the Much-Married Ida May Knapp,

WHOSE HUSBANDS ARE ALL LIVING AND WHOSE LATEST MARITAL VENTURES WERE WITH HAMILTON MEN.

Hamilton, Ohio, March 13.—According to Edward Bacon, of Darrtown, a brother-in-law of the Spivey boys, who were married to Ida May Knapp, the woman is a six time bigamist and her husbands are all living. The police have been unable to locate her and her bondsman, Paul Pfenning, has offered a reward of $50 for her capture.

It was learned today that Mrs. Spivey sold her time at the American Canning Works, where she was employed, yesterday and packing up her trunk left her rooms in the First National Bank Building last night.

The story of the woman's marital ventures as told by Bacon, commenced when she was 16 years old and lived in a small mining town in Wisconsin, where she married Elmer Little, a coal miner. Six months later, he says, she became infatuated with a bootblack of Milwaukee, named Arthur Sherman, and married him. Because of family trouble she abandoned Sherman, going to Indianapolis, where at the age of 21 she married James Spear, a brakeman on the Big Four Railroad. Spear is now said to be living in Kokomo, Ind. A year afterward she is alleged to have deserted Spear for Jack McGibbons, a cabman of Indianapolis. They eloped to this city where they were married and shortly afterward moved to Youngstown, Ohio, remaining there until 1901, when the woman, with a penchant for many husbands, again showed up in Hamilton and George and John Spivey's marital troubles commenced. She is of English birth and her father is said to be now living in Milwaukee, Wis.

It was to Edward Bacon that she boasted of her marriages after he had instituted proceedings in the Probate Court to obtain possesion of the ten-year-old daughter of his brother-in-law, George Spivey, claiming that the woman neglected the child. The Spivey brothers are hard-working men and appear to have been hypnotized by the woman. She is now about 30 years old, fairly good looking and constantly wore a furtive and captivating smile.

It was reported that Mrs. Spivey, whose maiden name was Ida May Knapp, was a niece of Alfred Knapp, the famous strangler, but this is denied strenuously by her Hamilton husbands, Williams, the liveryman, Spivey No. 3, Spivey No. 5.

The woman was a member of Court Adolph, Independent Order of Foresters, which she joined in this city in 1897.

Soothes itching skin. Heals cuts or burns without a scar. Cures piles, eczema, salt rheum, any itching. Doan's Ointment. Your druggist sells it.

A STORMY TIME.

Noisy, Boozy Crowd of Lima Young Fellows Created Trouble.

(Delphos Herald.)

While a large number of people were about the traction depot last Saturday evening, waiting for the last car, a crowd of young men from Lima were on hand, pretty well filled with red eye, and took a notion to run the old town to suit themselves.

Five or six young fellows, all under age, congregated in the alley next to the police station and struggled among themselves for the possession of a bottle of whiskey, using foul language. When an officer went after them, they ducked, all save one, who had the bottle poised in the air and didn't see the officer coming until he was quite near. He also attempted to make a get away, but failed, the officer overhauling him as he was entering the door of Stippich's saloon. There was a crash of glass as the bottle of whiskey fell to the floor and broke.

Shortly afterward another of the crowd, loppy drunk, was apprehended, and just before the car passed east it was learned that four pool balls had been stolen from Stippich's saloon. After the car had departed, it was learned that there was good ground for the belief that the balls had been taken by the Lima parties. One of the Lima young men was held in custody, and it was found that he had smuggled a pool ball into the cell with him, where it was found later by the officers. The prisoner maintained that the ball was given to him by another. The young man holds a good position in Lima, and is the main support of a widowed mother.

He was released upon his promise to recover the remainder of the balls and report to Mayor Fisher the name of the party who stole the property. He is in danger of arrest if he does not carry out his promise made to the Mayor. All of the fellows who made the disturbance were minors, some of them as young as 15 years.

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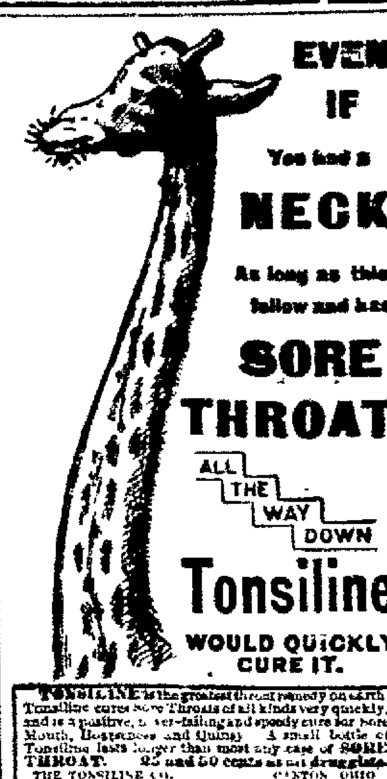
Praises Brooklyn Navy Yard

New York, March 13.—A letter representing the desirability of building battleships in the Brooklyn navy yard was sent to President Roosevelt by Bird S. Coler, president of the borough of Brooklyn. Mr. Coler stated that he believes the construction of warships in the navy yard can be completed more promptly and that the work is cheaper and more satisfactory than similar work done in private yards, and asked the president to grant an interview with a committee of Brooklyn citizens who would like to present this matter to him.



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PEEP HOLES

In Swell Roman Baths,

THROUGH WHICH THE LITHE ADONIS AND BEAUTEOUS VENUS COULD BE SEEN AT THEIR ABLUTIONS.

Cleveland, Ohio, March 13.—A raid on a suite of rooms in a block in East Fourth street, opposite the Hollenden Hotel, developed information today that will lead to a general investigation of massage parlors and bath rooms where women are employed as attendants.

The Fourth street place had many peepholes in the doors. It was fitted up in style. Its proprietor, Maxwell, arrested in the raid, said in Police Court that his baths were like those famous in Rome's time of luxury. He named massage and bath parlors in Cleveland that, he said, were worse than his.

Police Captain Schmunk took the addresses and promised Judge Fiedler a thorough investigation.

An advertisement offering $7 a week for young women attendants at Maxwell's place led to the raid. Two girls seeking employment fled from the rooms on discovering the character of the place. They complained to the police and the place was closed.

Maxwell said he had run a similar place in Pittsburg and had come to Cleveland recently. He said Pittsburg, with its many millionaires, was the best place for such an establishment. Cleveland was next best.

Maxwell got the limit, $50, costs and 30 days' workhouse sentence.

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Full information and advice given you in selecting these lands by The Texas State Land Bureau. Applications can be made through L. H. Rogers, 401 Opera House Block, Lima, Ohio. A special representative of The Texas State Land Bureau will be at the above office from March 12 to the 20th.

You are earnestly requested to call at the above office and investigate this opportunity of a life time, or write C. B. Moling, State Immigration Agent, Sou. Pac., Columbus, Ohio. mch12-1wk-d

Mine Fire Under Control

Martin's Ferry, O., March 13.—The state fire department succeeded in getting the fire in the mine of the Y & O Coal company at Barton under control. The fire was caused by electric wires and much damage was done.

TOUVELLE

Enters the Congressional Race

MERCER COUNTY MAN MAKES FORMAL ANNOUNCEMENT OF HIS CANDIDACY, AND THE SITUATION IS RENDERED THE MORE COMPLEX.

(St. Marys Leader.)

The situation as regards the Democratic nomination for congress in this district has undergone a material change within the past few days. All this has been brought about by the entry into the contest of W. E. TouVelle, of Mercer county. It had been supposed that Mercer county was going to place herself in a position where she could flirt with other counties and make a mash in the event of a deadlock, but all such calculations have been knocked "galley west to kingdom come" by the announcement of Tou Velle's candidacy. Mr. Tou Velle seems to be in dead earnest, too, and it is a safe guess that he is not a decoy candidate.

W. E. Tou Velle is a very strong man, and he is a factor that the other candidates must reckon with. He is a past master in the art of politics, and he knows every nook and corner of the fourth district. He has been identified with the anti-Garber crowd and his friends dominate the Democratic organization in Mercer county.

The pronounced candidates for Havey Garber's place in congress are Hon. J. H. Goeke, of Auglaize; Hon. Chas. Adkins, of Allen; Hon. W. E. Tou Velle, of Mercer, and Dr. J. W. Costello, of Shelby. Darke county will probably have no candidate, and the fight for the delegates from that county will be a battle royal.

The Celina Daily Standard announces the candidacy of Tou Velle in the following manner:

"Mercer county, logically entitled to have the next congressman, takes supreme pleasure in presenting the name of W. T. Tou Velle as a candidate for congress subject to the decision of the congressional convention, which will be held in Celina at an early date.

"Mr. Tou Velle's name was presented to the Democratic central committee this afternoon and immediately the fact was made public the town manifested great enthusiasm and interest in his candidacy, and the eager expectancy rife throughout this district, as to whether Mercer county would present a candidate at the convention, which will be held here at an early date, has been answered by Mr. Tou Velle's announcement.

"Mercer county's candidate is a favorite son in every sense of the word and his entry into the race means the loyal support of every friend that he has in this district, while his own county will back him to a man."

"I suffered for months from sore throat. Eclectric Oil cured me in twenty-four hours."—M. S. Gist, Hawesville, Ky.

Railroad Chartered.

Guthrie, Okla., March 13.—The Colorado, Texas and Mexico Railroad company, with business offices in Mangum, Oklahoma, Abilene, Texas, Boston, Philadelphia, Chicago and St. Louis and capitalized at $75,000,000, was chartered today to build a line from Cheyenne, Wyoming, through Wyoming, South Dakota, Colorado, Nebraska, Kansas and Oklahoma to Corpus Christi, Texas, with branch lines into Mexico. The estimated length of the line is 2,500 miles. The directors are, Morris R. Locke, Abilene, Texas; John M. Blackburn, R. C. Echols, H. M. Ferguson, H. M. Statton, G. W. Boyd and A. M. Stewart, all of Mangum.

Bloody Fight in a Church.

Warsaw, March 13.—Five persons were killed and fifteen injured in a fight at Strykoff, government of Piotrokoff, between Catholics and sectarians, who occupied in force a Catholic church. Knives, sticks and pitchforks were used.

Order Against Americans Revoked.

El Paso, Texas, March 13.—An order was received at the Mexican consulate here, the effect of which will revoke the order previously issued prohibiting Americans from acquiring mining claims in Sonora and Lower California.

War Material Seized.

Odessa, Russia, March 13.—A number of bombs, rifles and revolvers were seized at the local railroad station.

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SOUTH SIDE

INTERESTING HAPPENINGS IN THIS PART OF THE CITY

Grace Epworth League will entertain their friends tomorrow evening with a varied program—every number composed by people we know, folks right here at home. Don't have your expectations too high, and you may be very pleasantly surprised. The public are cordially invited to attend this unique effort. The program.

Dewey's Victory March, by J. F Drennen. Miss Hazel Hoover.

Welcome Glee, by C. H Bogardus. Mrs. Yates, Mrs. J. E DeVoe, Messrs Clapper and Bogardus.

Reading, "Married or Buried," by F. L. Houtzer. Miss Bonnie Wetherill.

Vocal medley, by Mrs. M. G. Harper. Same.

Quartet, "The Bright Side," words Miss Rowena Piatt; music, Miss Hazel Hoover. Mesdames Herrett, DeVoe, Stanahan, and Miss Gail Bowble.

Reading, "A Church Donation," by F. L Houtzer. Same.

Solo, "If," by C. H. Bogardus Same.

Oration, "On the Way Up," by D J. Kunkleman Same.

Solo, "The Heavenly Vision;" words by Miss Olive Peltier, music by Prof. Frey. E. E. Clapper.

Paper, "Hymns of the Christ Life," by Mrs. C. H. Bogardus Same.

Quartet—Goodnight, by C. H. Bogardus. Mrs. Yates, Mrs. DeVoe, Messrs. Clapper and Bogardus.

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Mr. L. J. Cox, of 631 south Main street, is suffering from a badly sprained and bruised foot, caused by a heavy piece of steel falling on it while Mr. Cox was at work in the boiler shops of the Lake Erie, He has been forced to lay off for several days on account of the injury, which is mending, but slowly.

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The ladies of the South Lima Baptist church will serve hot dinner tomorrow in the Bowers building, south of railroads Shopmen, leave your dinner buckets at home. 20 cents.

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Mrs. Bailey, of Ottawa, will be present at the regular monthly meeting of the W. H. M. S. at the home of Mrs. Yates, 707 south Elizabeth street this afternoon at 2 o'clock, and address the ladies on the work of the society.

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T V Losee, of the L E & W roundhouse, was taken ill yesterday and was taken to the home of his daughter, Mrs. C W. Wolfe, in the Adgate block It is feared he has sustained a light paralytic stroke He is in his 80th year and has been with the L. E & W people ever since the shops were located in this city.

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F. C Povenmire has sold his property at 530 south Pine to James McKenna, who will take possession in a few weeks. The McKenna family at present resides on Bellefontaine avenue.

George Morris has been sick the past week at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Geo. Tracewell, on south Central avenue It's the grip

Pastors W G and Frank Pugsley preached to out-of-town congregations Sunday—the former at Pandora, and the latter at Malinta.

Herman Wilmuth has resigned his position at the Locomotive Works and will in a few days take charge of his father's farm near Forest

Charles Eberly, of Third street, is suffering from rheumatism and pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Smith of near Celina, visited their daughter, Miss Ruby Smith, of west Kibby street.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Sibert, of Second street, attended the funeral of his mother in Wapakoneta Sunday.

The W. L. Thomas family, who resided on Second street, left yesterday for Collinwood.

Mrs Eugene Martin, of south Pine has received news of the death of her father, Charles Amos, of Parnell City, Mo. The deceased was a centenarian, having celebrated his one hundreth birthday anniversary last Christmas

Hazel, little daughter of Mr and Mrs J B Knowles, of south Jackson street is ill with lung fever.

Rev E T Bowdle came home last evening from Richwood, the last scene of his evangelistic work

L E & W Brakeman O E Sherrick steps high There's a fine eight and one-half pound boy at his home on south Elizabeth.

Walter and Don Kerr, of Albert street, were visitors at the Eugene Boyer home beyond Westminster, on Sunday

On their way home from Dupont to St. Johns, Rev. and Mrs. Samuel Metz, were guests yesterday of his uncle, J. E. Coleman, and wife, of Broadway.

Lillian and Pansy John on, daughters of County Commissioner C. W. Johnson, have returned to their home in Harrod, after visiting at the Geo. Tracewell home on south Central avenue.

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Claims for Damages

Washington, March 13—The board of church claims in the Philippines, consisting of Lieutenant Colonels John A Hute, judge advocate, and Alexander O Brodie, military secretary, and First Lieutenant John W Moore, Second cavalry, has made its report to the war department with the possible view of its submission to congress The board has considered 1,266 cases in which the Roman Catholic church in the Philippines claimed that their churches and convents had suffered damages through their occupation by troops of the United States army for military purposes, and for which they asked damages amounting to about $2,203,000 The amount awarded, however, is considerably less

Favors Lock Canal.

Washington, March 13—The testimony of Lindon W. Bates, a civil engineer and contractor, was concluded before the senate committee on interoceanic canals. He said the idea canal to be built was a lock canal with several more locks than originally planned, that a sea level meant a world of cost and would be almost impossible to keep dredged He criticized the buying of a "world of stuff before determining the type of canal or a program of methods and execution."

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INDIANA ENJOYED A BETTER WEEK, BUT IN OHIO THERE IS MARKED DECLINE OF PRODUCTION.

Small type gushers and in a few cases more than ordinary sized petroleum producers, taken together with the fact that there was a steady paying result wherever a drill penetrated, made the past week in the high-grade crude oil fields of the Central West the most prolific in point of production secured of any week of the new year.

There were fewer wells drilled throughout the Trenton Rock districts of Northwestern Ohio and Indiana, while greater activity was in evidence in the West Virginia districts, with gushers found in Wetzel and Tyler Counties making better than 400 barrels each. The trend of the always-to-be-found excitement of the oil man's life is now toward the newly developed field about Casey, Ill extending over into Western Indiana, where the Princeton field has been in course of development for some years. What effect Casey is to have on the high-grade crude oil fields is yet to be determined, and the Standard has already acquired the best of the tested territory, leaving the independents to make the experiments. Many of the oil men in Indian Territory have ceased work there and taken to Casey as a substitute, and the spring months will find plenty of work for the oil field mechanics, as well as many opportunities for the operators and gambling element.

In the way of new pools and extensions to the defined producing limits nothing has been developed during the week to give hope to an offset for the rapidly declining stocks in the Eastern and Central Western fields

Town lot drilling in Lima, the center of the Northwestern Ohio field, is being pursued with a fervor of olden times, and no less than 10 wells, all recent completions, are now pumping crude in paying quantities from territory located within a few blocks of the public square, along the Ottawa River

The work in the high-grade fields east of the Mississippi for the past week was divided among the different districts as follows:

State	Wells Comp.	Prod Bbls	Dry Holes
N W Ohio	38	731	3
Indiana	28	1,015	3
S E Ohio	29	511	12
West Virginia	40	1,563	15
Kentucky	11	530	1
Totals	146	4,150	34
Last week	137	3,204	26
Increase production		946	
Average well		21½	...

There was a decline in completed work of two wells in the Northwestern Ohio field during the past week and a loss on the average completion of more than five barrels The North Lima districts which have been furnishing the bulk of production for many months, have shut down generally and only scattering wells on producing leases are now being drilled In the Allen County field the work is confined almost entirely to drilling along the river bottoms, every factory and many residents using their back lots for locations, and with good results Wells for the week in the field averaged 19¼ barrels, as compared to 24½ barrels the preceding week.

DOUBLE DUTY

Done By Oil Well Near Butler, Ohio —New One Just As Good.

Mansfield, Ohio, March 13—The phenomenal oil well on the Mengert farm near the village of Butler is now doing double duty, not only giving forth its usual daily quota of oil, but also supplying the towns of Bellville and Butler with natural gas.

The Standard Oil Company's well on the Remy farm, not far from the Mengert well, came in a few days ago, and is proving to be as strong as the Mengert well if not stronger, and 99 per cent pure

The new wells on the Mengert farm are expected to come in next week and some time next week also it is expected that oil will be struck on the Durbin farm, near Bellville, salt water mixed with oil having been reached some days ago, and every indication pointing to abundance of oil. Mansfield and Cleveland capitalists have formed a company here, and are making preparations to drill for oil and gas on the Andrew Burneson farm, two and a half miles southwest of Mansfield. There was some talk of the City Council or the Chamber of Commerce taking up the project of drilling for gas and oil around Mansfield, but the new company that has been formed will put down a test well so as to determine whether the Butler oil and gas field extends to Mansfield.

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"JUNKED" PUMPING STATION.

Plant Cost a Million in all But Is Now Abandoned.

Redkey, Ind., March 13.—The million dollar gas pumping station was thrown into the junk pile this week that the equipment might be handled for benefit of the bond holders. This station has been in operation for ever ten years and has been the scene of two explosions which cost three men their lives. The property is to be abandoned on account of the failure of the gas.

COURT NEWS

Judge Cunningham yesterday granted a decree of divorce to Georgia Flammers from George Flammers, the case having been tried a month ago The decree was issued on the grounds of cruelty, as recited in the petition, and was granted at the plaintiff's cost.

The case of John H Phillips against William A. Miller, appeal from Justice Dempster's court, was heard in the common pleas court yesterday and the findings of the lower court sustained The suit grew out of a claim for the sum of $8, which plaintiff alleged was due him as premium on an insurance policy issued on defendant's household goods.

Probate Court.

Freddy Swartout, a 12 year old boy, was yesterday brought before Judge Hutchinson on the charge of truancy He has for a long time been the source of much trouble and annoyance to his mother, his teacher and to Truant Officer Chapman The judge yesterday sentenced the boy to a term in the reform school The sentence, however, was suspended during the good behavior of the lad.

Charles Herring against William Herring, et al, is the title of a new case filed yesterday, and is a prayer for equitable relief in the matter of a considerable amount of real estate in German township

A petition was filed yesterday by W. E. Guerin, Jr, and J. R. Kraus, as trustees of the Indemnity Savings and Loan Company, against Mary O'Neill, Henry O'Neill et al. In the petition the plaintiffs set forth the claim that defendants borrowed the sum of $3,000 from plaintiffs and gave them bonds as security, agreeing to pay certain sums upon stated dates but that they have failed to keep up their dues Now plaintiffs declare there is owing them the sum of $2,508 96 which they seek to recover through the sale of defendant's property.

Deeds Recorded.

Sarah Gallaway to Christian H. Dienstberger lots 389 and 390 in Delphos, $1025.

Worth Watt and Delma Watt to J L Heath, lot 12 in Lafayette, $200.

C A. Moore and wife to Chas E Williams, part of lot 1879 in Irvin Place addition to Lima, $2,500.

F C Povenmire and wife to Jas. McKenna, part of lot 1249, Clymer's addition to Lima, $2,000

Emily B Moore and husband to C E Williams, lot 5243 Park addition to Lima, $1100.

J L, and Sarah E. Heath, to J W Tullis, lot in Lafayette, $350.

B A DeLong and Sarah E. DeLong to W L Bates, lots 269-270, Lakewood addition to Lima $1,500

C P Bumgardner and Iva V. Bumgardner to Thomas F O'Neill, three acres in Marion township, $155.

GET READY FOR A LOW RATE WASHINGTON EXCURSION.

The Ohio Central Lines will sell excursion tickets to Washington, D C Saturday, March 24th Long limit of tickets will allow a full week in Washington. Ask O. C. Agents.

Reynolds May Surrender.

Cleveland, O, March 13—That Harry J. Reynolds will surrender to the police today and at once go to Norwalk to give bond on the charge of bigamy, is more than likely. His defense has all been arranged and his mental condition at the time of the midnight ceremony at Norwalk last Monday will play a prominent part in the proceeding. William H Boyd, the attorney for Reynolds, was again in communication with him during the day.

Arrest Follows Bomb Explosion.

Cleveland, O, March 13—An explosion occurred shortly before midnight on the roof of the Frankfort hotel at the corner of Prospect and Ontario streets in the heart of the business section of the city. An immense hole was torn in the roof and the explosion shook adjacent buildings. A large number of the guests of the hotel are non-union structural iron workers, imported here from Louisville, Ky., and other southern cities, working on the Taylor arcade on which a strike of the international structural iron and bridge workers has been in progress against the contractors, the American Bridge company. The hole torn in the roof is almost directly over a room occupied by several of the strike breakers. The explosion was made from a dynamite bomb set off by a slow fuse The police arrested a man seen running through an alley following the explosion, and he is alleged to have said: "Did I do any damage?" His name has not been given out. The hotel is a five story building The explosion caused great excitement in the hotel and vicinity, but so far as learned no one was hurt.

Cleveland Man Chosen.

Boston, March 13—Stratton D. Brooks, who has been at the head of the Cleveland schools for several months, was chosen superintendent of schools of this city at a meeting of the school commission Mr. Brooks is 37 years old and was graduated from the University of Michigan in 1896.

Disappointed Lover.

Ashland, O, March 13—Thomas Ferguson committed suicide by shooting himself through the head His parents gave a party Thursday in honor of his twenty-first anniversary, but he became melancholy afterwards. It is stated that he had a disappointment in love.

"J. N." Seriously Ill.

Upper Sandusky, O, March 13—The "Immortal J N" Free is seriously ill at the home of his sister, Mrs John W. Cooley, at McCutchenville He arrived there about a month ago and has spent most of the time since visiting neighboring cities

Sent Up For Horse Stealing.

Fremont O, March 13—E E King, a traveling salesman from Detroit, who, while intoxicated, hired a livery rig here and drove to Detroit and sold the outfit, was sentenced to the penitentiary for 15 months.

Actor Tries to Drown Himself.

Toledo, O, March 13—Roland Decker, an actor, attempted suicide by jumping from a bridge over the Maumee river He was rescued and taken to a hospital

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CUT TO THE QUICK.

Attorney General Moody denies knowledge of reported cabinet changes

At Wichita, Kan., Corrine Miller, 19, shot and killed her sweetheart, William Morrow, 24, because of jealousy.

Near Kansas, Indian Territory, six deputy marshals were ambushed, three being killed, by a band of full-blood Indian outlaws

Hon. Newton W Bilbert, representative of the Twelfth Indiana district in congress, will shortly resign to accept a judgeship in the Philippines.

The "tobacco trust" cases, involving the right of witnesses to refrain from testifying before federal grand juries in proceeding under the anti-trust law, were decided by the supreme court against the witnesses

The supreme court refused to grant a writ of habeas corpus in the case of Anna Valentina, the Italian woman who is under sentence of death at Hackensack, N. J, on the charge of murder in that city in 1904.

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In the House.

Washington, March 13—The house devoted its attention to legislation for the District of Columbia, with the exception of making an inquiry of the secretary of the treasury regarding fees for additional services in customs cases which may have been paid the United States district attorney for the southern district of New York Four local bills were passed, two tabled and one recommitted An effort to bring up the naturalization bill failed because of lack of a quorum

All Employes Discharged.

Vladivostok, March 13.—Governor Mistichenko has discharged every employe of the Usurri railroad, including Director Hasvat, who participated in the recent strike, and ordered they be expelled from the Amur province never to return.

Strikers Damage Bridges.

Nancy, France, March 13—Strikers attempted to blow up two railroad bridges by means of dynamite and succeeded in causing great damage. Traffic is suspended.

Requisition Honored.

Albany, N. Y., March 13—Governor Higgins granted the requisition of the governor of West Virginia for the extradition to that state of C. A Henderson of New York city to answer the charge of selling stock under false pretenses. It is alleged that he was instrumental in the sale of stock to the value of $100,000 of the International Mercantile Co, which subsequently became insolvent.

Russian Preliminary Elections.

Simbrisk, Russia, March 13—The peasants of this province showed great independence at the preliminary elections. Although the village elders everywhere were candidates they were defeated except in three places, and new sets of men were chosen to represent the peasants at the district and provincial conventions.

Trial of Chicago Packers.

Chicago, March 13—The final evidence was submitted and arguments were introduced by the packers to refute certain statements made on the stand for special agents for the government and Mr. Durand was then called by the government to explain certain matters in his previous testimony. As soon as his evidence was finished Attorney Miller, representing Armour & Company, made a motion that Judge Humphrey direct a verdict in favor of the packers. A cross motion was at once offered by District Attorney Morrison that the evidence be excluded, and a verdict directed in favor of the government. Arguments were immediately begun and will probably last for several days.

Carlist Movement.

Madrid, March 13—An incipient Carlist movement is reported to have broken out in Catalonia. The authorities have taken steps to suppress the outbreak.

Was Intoxicated.

Martin's Ferry March 13—John Robinson of Maynard was killed by a train on the Cleveland, Lorain and Wheeling railway near his home He was intoxicated and had lain down on the track.

NOTED SPEAKER.

Evangelist Ray Tussing will conduct the meeting at the Salvation Army hall, on east High street, tonight and all this week He is a beautiful singer and will play banjo, guitar and mandolin. He should be accorded a large audience Everybody come and hear this wonderful man

NOTICE TEACHERS.

The Primary and Junior Sunday school teachers will meet at the Y M C A Wednesday evening at 7 30 Come and hear the good things, Rev Clay has in store for the Junior teachers And we would urge the Primary teachers to make a special effort to come and hear Mrs McDonell again this week Mrs McDonell is certainly adapted to this line of work and we feel sure that you will be fully repaid for any sacrfice you may have to make in order to come

The Teachers Training Lesson is the last three training lessons in review taught by Rev Swanson Come once and you will come always

The Policemen of the Blood

Did you ever stop to think that blood is not really red?

It only looks to be red, because it is filled with what your physician calls red corpuscles

It also has white corpuscles and these are Nature's warriors—the policemen of the blood Their duty is to arrest every little particle of waste matter they find in any part of your body and deliver it over to your kidneys.

Sometimes there is more waste matter than the blood's policemen can handle and then comes disease.

HOW WASTE MATTER CAUSES CATARRH.

The Blood's Policemen—the white corpuscles—cannot think. By instinct they arrest waste matter wherever they find it.

If they are going towards your kidneys, they deliver the waste matter there—and your kidneys are supposed to take care of it.

But sometimes the kidneys can not handle all the waste matter and part of it escapes. Then the blood's policemen catch each little particle and carry it along with them—back through your body.

This waste matter is called uric acid. When it is carried back from the kidneys—it hides wherever it can—if in the mucous membranes of the throat and head, it causes catarrh.

The uric acid irritates the membranes causing them to form more mucous than Nature intends. If you happen to swallow any of the mucous—the droppings—you carry catarrh to your stomach.

As long as this uric acid remains in the membranes the irritation continues, gradually weakening the parts, and so the catarrh grows worse.

LIFE PLANT REMOVES URIC ACID

When uric acid has lodged in the membranes causing catarrh, you can remove the excess of mucous by means of a gargle or an atomizer.

But that doesn't remove the cause—the deposits of uric acid in the membranes—and just as long as these remain, just so long will the catarrh continue.

LIFE PLANT strikes at the root of the trouble—dissolves the uric acid so that the body's policemen can carry it away to the kidneys.

It encourages and assists the kidneys, enables them to carry off all the uric acid—and so cleans out the whole system, purifies the blood and makes the whole body clean and healthy

LIFE PLANT is not a patent medicine—contains nothing harmful—no strong drugs. It is a simple herb medicine scientifically prepared to dissolve uric acid.

Catarrh and all other uric acid diseases in the worst forms have been permanently cured by **LIFE PLANT.** Write us for information about these cures.

THE APPROACH OF URIC ACID DISEASES

Uric acid makes its presence known by headache, poor digestion, biliousness, shortness of breath, dry skin, palpitation, darting pains, dark colored urine, sluggish brain, sleeplessness, and in women, menstrual disorders.

R If you have catarrh act at once. Take LIFE PLANT. If you have any of the above symptoms or already have any of the diseases that follow them, the cause is uric acid. Take LIFE PLANT and remove the cause. LIFE PLANT is a positive uric acid solvent.

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Write to our medical director telling him freely and fully all about your case. He will give you personal attention and expert advice free. All personal letters returned with our answers.

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For sale by all reputable druggists.

LIFE PLANT COMPANY, Canton, Ohio

POWERS CASE

Remanded to Kentucky State Courts By Supreme Court.

Washington, March 13—The Caleb Powers case was decided by the supreme court of the United States The opinion was delivered by Justice Harlan, who held that the case was not removable from the state to the federal courts The case was therefore remanded to the Kentucky state courts

Powers Disappointed.

Cincinnati, O March 13—When seen at the Newport jail Caleb Powers stated that he was greatly disappointed in the decision of the supreme court Powers said: "I am indeed sorry to learn that the supreme court has decided that it has no jurisdiction in my case A fair trial is all I have asked—all I ever wanted I am innocent of the charge against me, and expect to fight this case as long as I live but I will never be given a fair trial in the Kentucky courts'

ANOTHER DISASTER

Rescue Party of Seventeen Persons Lose Lives at Courrieres.

Paris, March 13—An additional disaster following upon the terrible calamity that befell the workers in the coal mine at Courrieries on Saturday has cast its shadow over the stricken town. A party said to consist of 17 men who went into the mine for the purpose of recovering the bodies of those who perished on Saturday lost their lives in the undertaking They had descended in spite of the recognized danger of the attempt, and in the face of the engineer's warnings against making a further effort. A gang of 25 Westphalian miners who, it is believed, were sent to Courrienes at the express desire of Emperor William, arrived with special salvage apparatus, but no further work will be permitted until the mines are cleare of gases, which it is said will take 4 hours

GENERAL WOOD

Assumes Full Responsibility For Fight Against the Moros.

Manila March 13—Major General Wood who has arrived here, has announced that he assumes full responsibility for the fight against the Moros at Dajo ohll, near Jolo He said that there was no wanton destruction of women and children in the fight, though many of them were killed by force of necessity because the Moros used them as shields in the hand-to-hand fighting Major General Wood declared that many of the women wore male attire and their sex could not be distinguished Another confusing cause was the desperation with which the women fought, the priests having worked all the Moros to a religious frenzy Many of the Moros feigned death and butchered the American hospital men when relieving the wounded General Wood said "Neither in this nor any fight has an American soldier killed a woman or child except in a close action when it was impossible to distinguish sex

NOTICE, W. V. R. U.

The ladies of the W V R U will meet in their hall in the Donze block, Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock to make arrangements for the funeral of Mrs Mary G Tracy. By order of President

NOTICE.

The degree staff of the Golden Gate Rebekah lodge, No 260, will meet for practice at the regular meeting, Wednesday, March 14th, 1906, at 7 o'clock All members of the staff as well as the members of the lodge are urged to be present

ORAH A HAMER, N G.

Don't let the baby suffer from eczema, sores or any itching of the skin Doan's Ointment gives instant relief, cures quickly. Perfectly safe for children All druggists sell it.

AGED

Resident of Amanda Township Passes

AWAY YESTERDAY, PARALYSIS BEING THE CAUSE OF HER DEMISE.

Mrs Mary Shobe, after a short illness died yesterday of paralysis at her home in Amanda township, eight miles west of the city, at the age of seventy eight years. Deceased was the widow of the late Samuel Shobe and was one of Amanda township's oldest residents

Mrs Shobe was born in Ross county in 1828 and was the mother of nine children, yet living The husband and father preceded her to the other world about five years ago The children are. Frank, Jacob, Aliah Cyrus and Harvy, Mrs. Harriett McShane, Mrs Rachel Umbaugh, Mrs Sallie Williams and Mrs. Martha Crow

The funeral services will take place tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock sun time at the Allentown M. E. church, with Rev Cupp in charge and the interment will occur at the Allentown cemetery

NO QUORUM

AND SCHOOL BOARD MEETING WAS ADJOURNED ONE WEEK.

After waiting a half hour for the absent members to put in an appearance the roll was called at the school board meeting last night as a matter of formality, and disclosed the fact that there was no quorum present and the meeting was adjourned The president issued a call for a special meeting to be held next Monday night President Pence, Secretary Herrett and Member Uhl were the only ones present.

URAEMIC

POISONING CAUSED THE DEATH OF MRS. MARY TRACY LAST NIGHT.

Funeral Will Take Place Thursday From the Residence of Her Daughter on Prospect Avenue.

Mrs Mary L Tracy, who has been an inmate at the city hospital suffering from uraemic poisoning, died last evening at 8 30 o'clock. The remains were removed to the home of her daughter, Mrs Wm. Neese, 516 Prospect avenue, from which place the funeral will take place Thursday morning at ten o'clock, Deceased was 61 years of age and leaves the following children to mourn their loss Mrs Wm Neese, Mrs. Robert Lawther, Mrs Ora Zehner, Mrs Hugh Cassidy and one son, Pollie, of Milton, New Hampshire.

Years of suffering relieved in a night Itching piles yield at once to the curative properties of Doan's Ointment Never fails. At any drug store, 50 cents

DEATH

This Morning Ended the Suffering

OF "RICK" WARD, THE YOUNG MAN WHO FIRED A BULLET INTO HIS BRAIN

At the Home of His Wife's Sister Saturday Evening—The Remains Taken to Spencerville This Afternoon for Burial.

'Rick' Ward, the young railroad man, who fired a bulet into his brain at the Fetter home three miles east of the city Saturday night, and who has since been hovering between life and death at the city hospital, died this morning at ten o'clock The remains were this afternoon shipped to Spencerville the home of his parents, for burial.

The News Cheap Want Column

The NEWS is the Want Medium of Lima

WANT COLUMN RATE.

Twenty words or less three consecutive times or less, 25 cents. One cent each additional word. Cash with the order. Call either 'phone 417.

Answers to advertisements can be addressed care of the NEWS if desired.

Employment Wants Free—To accommodate persons out of work the NEWS will publish free of charge "Situations Wanted" ads.

"To Exchange Ads." Free—(Saturday only)—If you have anything you don't want, swap it for something you do want by means of the NEWS Want Column.

WANTED.

WANTED—Your attention—Why pay rent when you can buy a good building lot in the West End at a bargain price—cash or installments. 301 Opera House Block.

WANTED—Old geese feather beds immediately Highest cash prices. Address C. F. Dickinson, General Delivery, Lima. 6-6t*

WANTED—Por or at the Manhattan Hotel. 1-3t

WANTED—Chamber maid at the Sherman house. 1-3t

WANTED—Girls to learn to make rubber shoes Steady, clean, agreeable work. Pleasant surroundings. Good wages. Finest workrooms in the world. Call or address at once: Employment Bureau, The B F Goodrich Company, No 13 Rubber St, Akron, Ohio 7-6t

WANTED—Cook at Renz Bakery, 320 north Main street. 9-3t*

WANTED—$16,000 loan at 6 per cent. Gilt edge security. Investigate quick. Will H. Roberts, 306 Opera House 0-3t

WANTED—Washing done for private families, or day or week 848 W. Elm St.

WANTED—Position as housekeeper by middle aged lady for an old gentleman or an old couple Call new phone 1411-C.

WANTED—Washings to do. 325 north Scott street. 9-3t

WANTED—Dining room girl at the Astoria Boarding Club, Lima College 0-3t

WANTED — Lady to attend office two ladies for copying prints by hand, several ladies for stamping plattins We have several other lines of work that can be done at home during leisure hours Experience unnecessary. Permanent work, good pay. Apply personally. 218 north Elizabeth street, Plattin Co. 9-4t*

WANTED—30 men and 20 women to act as supers in the "College Widow" performance, Thursday evening, March 15th. Report at stage entrance of Faurot Opera House Wednesday evening, at 7 o'clock. 0-3t

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE OR RENT—Hotel Palma, opposite Pennsylvania depot. 22 rooms, lot 49x100. Joseph Bruner. Old phone 419-X. 0-3t*

FOR SALE—General purpose horse, 1300, two miles northeast on Berley road Zites farm. Mrs Frantz Bell phone. 0-3t*

BARGAINS—FOR SALE. Small houses, cash or on installment plan, from $600 to $1000 and in locations that will suit all. Also some nice modern houses FOR RENT and some FOR SALE in the west end Call on Foye, 65 Public Square.

FOR SALE—Millinery and Notion Store in town of 2,000 in Western Ohio Flourishing community Address 919 Columbia avenue, Fort Wayne. 7-6t*

FOR SALE Eggs for setting from high bred Barred Plymouth Rock Hens 50c per setting L. Phalem, corner Main and 4th street. 1-3t*

FOR SALE—Oil leases at the Daily News Office

FOR SALE—$60,000 of 5 per cent 20 year Gold Bonds. Investigate quick Will H Roberts 306 Opera House 0-3t

FOR SALE—Bed room sets, iron beds, dressers, tables, stands, refrigerator, gas stoves, linoleums, curtains, chairs, etc. Call at 702 W Wayne St 0-3t*

FOR SALE—Household furniture of all kinds at 310 Harrison Ave. Mrs Smith. 0-6t*

FOR SALE—Houses; west Spring, west Elm, south Main, west Kibby, west North, north and south Metcalf, Prospect avenue, all modern BARGAINS Will H Roberts, 306 Opera House. 0-3t

FOR SALE—Two lots on Brice avenue, near Metcalf 7 minutes walk from Court House Inquire of David Bechtol, R. R. No. 3, Elida, O. 9-3t*

FOR SALE—Dress Suit, fine worsted; silk-lined, size 35, worn twice, cost $45, take half. $6 extra dress vest, also dress shirt thrown in Write now. Suite 1014 Sebald Aparts, Middletown, Ohio. tf

FOR SALE—10 room house near Public Square, A bargain if sold soon. Price $4000. Also 60 acre farm, ½ mile to school, 1 mile to market, all good black land See Baggs Bros' National Employment & Real Estate, Rooms 8 and 10 Central Bldg. 0-6t

FOR SALE—Store room, 211 east High street Low price See E L. Stewart, first door east. 9-3t*

FOR SALE OR TRADE—4 room house on South Side, near shops and refinery. Cheap Inquire of Hess & Co, Cahill Block. Both phones.

FOR SALE—I will offer for sale at public auction at 2 p m Saturday, March 17, in room No 1, Phoenix block, Lima, Ohio, a typewriter, office furniture, fixtures and a number of law books The Chown Commercial Company. 5-10t

FOR SALE or trade for city property Four acres of good land with house barn, well, cistern, fruit, and four miles from town on a good pike F C Poenmire, 126 west North street. New phone 573 M 8-4t*

FOR SALE—Horse, buggy and harness, wagon, tongue and top Cheap if sold soon 840 St Johns avenue. 0-3t*

FOR SALE—Five room dwelling on south Jackson street. Paved street lot 31x150, cistern, etc. $950 if sold this week. John A. Monr, room 15, Holmes block. New phone 1446. 0-3t*

FOR SALE—Set of encyclopaedias As good as new. Call phone 731 new. tf

WEALTHY PEOPLE

Take Blackburn's Victory Castor-Oil-Pills, because pure, sure and pleasurable physic, tonic and purifier. 10c. 25c. Druggists. Fr. tf

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Opposite Hotel Norval.
Room 12 Harper Block.

Both Phones 916.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms at 315 west High street 9-3t*

FOR RENT—5 room house Will be empty between now and the 15th. Inquire 133 south Jackson. 0-3t*

FOR RENT—2 new 5 room houses on Haller street, between McDonald and West streets Apply E. C Finley, 542 north McDonald, or at the Auditorium 0-3t*

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished rooms Large pantry, both kinds of water, front and back porch, gas and cellar Call at 126 north McDonald street 9-3t

FOR RENT—5 rooms, hydrant, cistern, cellar and other conveniences at 902 east High street 9-3t*

FOR RENT—Part of double house, 3 rooms, inquire 208 N Union, or call old phone, 522K.

MISCELLANEOUS.

CLAIRVOYANT.

STARTLING LIFE READING—Secret Xoskic method; nothing concealed, stamped envelope, dime, complexion, age and sex Prof Jusoh Kozod, box D E 53, Whiting, Ind. 8-12t*

PARCEL DELIVERY to any part of the city 10 cents Allen's Storage and Transfer, 815 east High street New phone 1392-M 1-6t*

THIRTEEN THOUSAND DOLLARS In Lima income property exchange for Allen Co farm Will H Roberts, 306 Opera House 0 3t

HIGHEST CASH PRICES paid for old and new feathers at the Capital Feather Company We also Renovate Feather Beds and Pillows 138 E. Elm St. New phone 43M.

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LEGAL NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed and qualified as assignee in trust for the benefit of the creditors of William N Gilles, of Lima, Allen County, Ohio, by the Probate Court of said Allen County, Ohio.

E. A. DEAN, Assignee.

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CHILDREN'S HAIR DRESSING.

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At the very lowest rate of interest and on short notice. We have a large amount of money to loan on long time. In sums of $300 and upwards, on city property and improved farm lands, with privilege of paying part or all at any interest paying day. Persons wishing cheap Money on easy terms will find it will be to their interest to call.

City property, vacant lots and farms for sale on small payments

Real estate and Loan Broker,

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MOTHER NATURE

Has A Healing Balm For Every Wound.

Try This for your Cough.

Mix half ounce of the Pure Virgin Oil of Pine with two ounces of glycerine and half a pint of good whisky, shake well and use in teaspoonful doses Dr Leach, the famous throat and lung specialist, who established a camp for consumptives in the pine woods of Maine, and whose remarkable cures there have attracted great attention from the medical world, declares that the above formula will heal the lungs and cure any cough that is curable It will break up a cold in twenty-four hours. The ingredients can be secured from any good prescription druggist at small cost

Inquiry at the prescription department of a leading pharmacy elicited the information that the Pure Virgin Oil of Pine is put up only in half-ounce vials for dispensing, each vial is securely sealed in a round wooden case with engraved wrapper, showing the name—"Virgin Oil of Pine (Pure)"—plainly printed thereon Only the cheaper oils are sold in bulk, but these create nausea and never effect the desired results.

Virgin Oil of Pine (Pure) is also said to be a perfect neutralizing agent for uric acid

MARSHAL

Arrested Tramp Umbrella Mender Sunday

FRANK WILLIAMS, FROM EVERYWHERE, TO ANSWER A SERIOUS CHARGE.

After a diligent search Saturday and Sunday, Marshal Shockey, late Sunday afternoon, succeeded in locating the tramp umbrella mender, who is charged with the commission of a heinous crime near Buckland Friday afternoon, says the Wapak News.

The man who says his name is Frank Williams, was found in camp, with his dog, in a woods along the C, H & D railroad He was brought to this city and placed in jail He will be given a preliminary hearing before Mayor Wentz this afternoon

Williams is charged with criminal assault on Amanda Burden He admits having been at her home on Thursday but says he was not in the vicinity on Friday and says he is innocent He is a man about 40 years of age and though he tells of his amours, he can not lay any claim to beauty or prepossessing appearance.

Miss Burden, the prosecuting witness in this case, was also the prosecuting witness in a similar proceeding several years ago which resulted in Ed Benson being sent to the penitentiary from this county.

SPRING SUITS

Don't fail to see our spring suitings They'll open your eyes. We make clothes that are right in every particular Thompson Tailoring Co, 114 east High street. at

"Had dyspepsia or indigestion for years No appetite, and what I did eat distressed me terribly. Burdock Bitters cured me."—J. H. Walker, Sunbury, Ohio

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PRICES

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CALENDAR FOR TODAY.

AFTERNOON.

Franklin Club—Mrs. Moyer.

Evangeline Club — Mrs. Grant Kelley.

EVENING.

Delicatessen—Miss Emma Ford.

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CALENDAR FOR TOMORROW.

AFTERNOON.

Oneta—Mrs. M. L. Allen.

Faithful Helpers—Mrs. McCarthy

Wednesday Bridge—Mrs. Beach.

Young Ladies Aid—Misses Roberts and Ward.

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MEALS FOR TOMORROW.

A Lenten Menu.

—Breakfast—
Flaked Rice and Cream.
Halibut Steak. Fried Mush.
Coffee.

—Luncheon—
Goldenrod Eggs. Colonial Macaroni
Watercress
Crystallized Ginger. Tea.

—Dinner—
Fricasseed Chicken with Toast.
French Fried Potatoes.
Scalloped Tomatoes.
Celery Salad without Oil.
Indian Pudding.

Goldenrod Eggs—Boil four eggs until hard Make a white sauce with one pint of milk, two tablespoonful of flour, one tablespoonful of butter, one-half a teaspoonful of salt. Cut the whites of the eggs in small pieces and add to the white sauce. Toast six slices of bread, butter them and pour the white sauce over. Put the yolks of the eggs through the ricer over the top and serve hot.

Colonial Macaroni—Boil half a package of the macaroni in the usual way—that is, break it into small pieces and drop it into boiling salted water, allowing it to cook forty minutes. Then pour off the water and replace it with a pint and a half of milk. Stand the macaroni back on the range and in half an hour it will have taken up most of the milk, when it can be arranged in layers and sprinkled with grated cheese and dotted with butter, ready to brown. This is easier than to make a cream sauce, and the result is equally palatable

A boiled salad dressing, which will keep several days and may be used for cabbage or more elaborate salads, is made as follows: Beat one egg and add slowly a tablespoonful of melted butter Mix well in another dish one-half teaspoonful each of salt and flour and stir these into the egg and oil Put in a double boiler tnd add two tablespoonfuls of vinegar mixed with five tablespoonfuls of boiling water; stir constantly until it thickens slightly. This dressing never curdles.

Note—The luncheon is planned especially for the children, except for the tea. Little ones almost always like macaroni, and if they are very small a separate dish may be prepared for them without the cheese. Crystallized ginger is good for them and they generally like it

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The following clever invitations were issued yesterday for a Saint Patricks Day Party:

Mr and Mrs. Edward R Foster
beg the honor of your reverint presence
At a Revilry
In Memory of Saint Phadrig
Saturday Avenin March Sivinteenth
1312 Lakewood Ave.
For Miss Jewett
R. S. V. P. 7.30 O'clock.

Ivry wan is requested to wear a thrifle of grane to extinguish himself from the ithers.

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AN EVENING PARTY... .. ..

Last evening Miss Belle Folsom of north West street, opened her home to about forty of her friends and entertained in a most hospitable manner Six tables were arranged for six hand euchre, which game was enjoyed until ten o'clock, when an excellent luncheon of two courses was served. Mrs. Roy Banta held the highest score and received a beautiful cluny center piece as a prize. The hostess was assisted by Mrs B. F Welty, Mrs. Fred Beam, Mrs. Roy Banta and Miss Gladys Downing

Seated at the tables were Mesdames Ross, Carpenter, Paul Agerter, McCullough, Heman, Mosier, Clark, Louis Fall, W. T Agerter, O. W. Bell, Stradley, Ridenour, McCarty, Asa Catt, Waugh, Seebers, Holdridge, Welty,, Geo. Vicary, John Miller, Townsend, George Hall, Hallie Hoover, S. D. Downing, T. A. McLaughlin, Ashton, T. D. Robb, Sinclair and Miss Gertrude Sealts and the Misses Anna and Lizzie Disman.

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SATURDAY WHIST.

Mrs. Fred Beam was hostess for the Saturday Whist and a few additional guests last week. This is the beginning of a new series in which the hostess is expected to serve refreshments, the first letter of which begin with the initials of her name. Mrs. Bertha Beam served baked beans, brown bread, raisin ruse and coffee, the beverage being allowed extra. The guests present were Miss Gertrude Sealts, Mrs. Paul Agerter, Mrs. W. T. Agerter, Mrs. Asa Catt, Mrs Clint Sealts, Mrs. Earl Sealts, Mrs. Sinclair, Mrs. Charles Moore and Mrs. John Miller.

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The Evangeline Club will meet with Mrs Grant Kelley on Thursday afternoon instead of this afternoon, as was stated in this column yesterday.

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W F. M SOCIETY.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Trinity church will meet tomorrow afternoon at two thirty at the home of Mrs C. C Miller, 701 west North street. The program will be as follows.

Devotion, Mrs. A. Berry.
Business.
Roll Call—Promises of God.
Duet, Mrs. Wells and Mrs. Conner
Lesson.
Second Chapter of Christus Liberator, Mrs N. L Snyder.
Music, Symphony Orchestra.

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Mrs A. J. Shuler, of 588 south Pine, is just able to be out, after a four weeks' illness from rheumatism

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Mr. and Mrs. Max Michael have left on a business trip.

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Mrs. J B. Webb, of Toledo, is visiting here in Lima for a week or so at the home of Mrs Vint, 1040 north Main street

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Mrs Seymour, of west Market street, who has as her guest, her sister, Mrs E P King, of Chicago, is entertaining in her honor, a few of her old childhood friends and school mates, she having been born and raised in Lima

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Mrs Eugene Hurley and Mrs Harold Wakefield have returned to their homes in Findlay, after a pleasant visit with Mrs. Cuthbert, of west North street

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Mrs. Moke, of south Main street, is entertaining a few friends at cards this afternoon in honor of her niece, Mrs Scott

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The Philomatheans met with Mrs Johnson last evening

The ladies of the Hospital Board will have an all day sewing tomorrow.

A Noted Hobo Retreat

OHIO CITY LODGES 468 TRAMPS OVER NIGHT IN FOUR MONTHS.

Wapakoneta, O, March 13—The lockup of the town of Sidney, south of here, is becoming famous throughout this part of the state among the "Weary Willies" fraternity as the hobos' retreat During the past four months 468 tramps have been lodged there over night, a record of the lodgers being kept in the mayor's office by the police. The number is posted every morning The following is the record for the four months: November, 80, December, 115; January, 106, February, 167.

Leave your orders with

Summers & Zitter,

for your spring suit. Room 9-10 Cincinnati block.

Estate of Carries B. Burris, deceased.

The undersigned has been duly appointed and qualified Administrator of the estate of Carrie B. Burris, deceased, late of Allen County, Ohio, March 3, 1906

1t-a-w-3t R. L. ARMSTRONG.

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Ice Cream Powder

Everything in the package. No cooking or heating. Just add one quart milk and freeze. Makes nearly two quarts and can be made in ten minutes. Five flavors. Sold by all grocers. Two packages 25c.

PLEASES EVERYBODY

KANSAS

RAILROADS DISCRIMINATE IN FAVOR OF THE STANDARD OIL COMPANY.

TOP PRICE PAID FOR OIL IS 52 CENTS, WHILE FREIGHT IS 57 CENTS.

TWO WITNESSES ARE CALLED IN THE INTERSTATE COMMERCE INVESTIGATION.

HOW THE STANDARD BOYCOTTED THE KANSAS FIELD.

Kansas City, March 13—In the interstate commerce hearing today of the charges of the Kansas Oil Producers' association that Kansas railways discriminated in favor of the Standard Oil company in the matter of giving rates on oil, F. Robertson, of Cherryvale Kansas, a member of the Uncle Sam Oil Co., and E. A. Leland, assistant general freight agent of the Missouri, Kansas & Texas railway, gave testimony

Robertson said that the Standard Oil company boycotted all the Kansas fields February 10, 1905, and tore out all pipe line connections with independent producers and issued orders to purchase no oil from independent producers who then had no market.

Mr Robertson testified that the railroad's rate from Caney, Kansas, to Bartlesville, I T, a distance of 61 miles, prior to the building of the pipe line by the Standard Oil company, was 12 cents, and it was reduced to five cents a hundred pounds while the pipe lines were constructing. After their completion the railroad rate was put up to 19 cents and it stands there today.

The 19 cent rate makes the rate from the well to the refinery five cents a barrel more than the top price paid for crude oil in Kansas or in Indian Territory. The top price paid for oil is 52 cents a barrel, while the freight upon a barrel would be 57 cents according to Robertson.

Mr. Robertson cross examined by W R Smith, attorney for the Santa Fe railroad, denied any knowledge of the government having issued a fraud order against the Uncle Sam Oil company He admitted that charges had been preferred against his company principally that it was overcapitalized and that the assets were not sufficient

F A Leland, assistant general freight agent of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas railway was the second witness called He told in reply to questions of a meeting in St Louis, June 19, of the traffic managers of the Missouri, Pacific and the Santa Fe and the Frisco and his road to consider raising the oil rate from Kansas. He said that Mr. Bogardus, traffic manager of the Standard Oil company was present but he did not recall that any of the independent refineries of Kansas had been asked to attend the meeting. After the meeting he was informed that the rate was to be changed from 10 cents to 17 cents from Kansas points to Kansas City, Mo

Mr. Leland admitted that under the Kansas rate the rate for oil from Chanute, Kans, to Kansas City, Kans, was 9 1-2 cents in less than carload lots. But to Kansas City it was 31 1-2 cents, and the distance farther was only 7 miles by his road, which made a detour to get into Kansas City, Mo He said his road hauled a tank car 75 miles in Kansas under the Kansas rate law for $2 33, and charged $7.50 for the same service in Missouri. He said he did not know if any of the Rockefellers were upon the directorate of his road, but thought they had been

Mr. Leland testified that on an oil rate of 15 cents a hundred pounds, from the Kansas oil fields to St. Louis there was a profit of two cents.

ESMERALDA.

The dramatic department of Newcomer's School of Expression of Lima College, will present the popular four act comedy, "Esmeralda," or "A Romance of the North Carolina Hills," at the City Hall, Beaverdam, O, Wednesday evening, March 14th.

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Officers

OF SPRINGFIELD BOARD EXPLAIN TANGLED FINANCES.

Springfield, O, March 13.—It is confidently believed that T. L. Calvert, former treasurer of the fair board will satisfactorily explain his books, and that the new secretary, Johnson, will receive them at Saturday's meeting.

In the mean time the other officers of the board are superlatively busy explaining how financial affairs of the association became tangled Secretary S Van Bird avers that his books do not show a deficit, and that the $800 received from the state went to pay a note at the Mad River bank

Mr. Rockfield says that a note for $800 was given the Mad River National bank last May for money secured to make improvements at the fair grounds It was to fall due in the fall.

"We intended to borrow $10,000 on the fair grounds for the purpose of erecting new buildings,' said President Rockfield "We supposed that we could get the money, and we went ahead with the erection of a building to cost about $750.

'Although we had been told that it would be legal to borrow the money with the permission of the county commissioners, City Solicitor Stewart L. Tatum held that the park board could not loan the money.

"To cover the $800 note and to pay for the new buildings erected we gave a new note for $1,500. We received $800 from the state. Upon investigation it is found that the bank has no note for $800 in its possession, which proves that it must have been paid, but where it is, is a mystery. I feel that Calvert will be able to explain I can not see where we owe more than $750 instead of $2,300 as reported If the $800 received from the state was applied on the first note, then the society only owes the bank $750."

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A resolution was adopted by about 200 of the leading business men of Lima, not to advertise in programmes of any kind, hotel registers and bulletins, or to give Trading stamps, or raffle schemes, or any other item of like character.

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Anderson, Ind., March 13—Probably the most disgusting complaint for divorce ever filed in Madison county was that of Fountain High, of Elwood, against his wife, Marion, in Judge Greenlee's court today.

High sets forth that he was married March 14, 1905, June 1 of that year his wife left him and went to Louisville, Ky. Within two weeks after the marriage High claims that for first time he discovered that his wife had been an inmate of a bad house in Elwood for a year, and previous had been a bad woman in Alexandria He also discovered that she used opium and chloral and smoked forty cigarettes a day. He also discovered that she was diseased and always groggy, but able to curse and swear.

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Legislature Now Asked For Funds for Canals

The palmy days of the old canal are again to be revived. The long looked for outlet to the Ohio river and the great lakes is to be cleaned out and put on a thorough paying business basis. Pleasure yachts with their passenger traffic and freighters again tugging their heavy loads through town would certainly create a most picturesque scene to all those who have an eye for a greater, bigger and better Delphos. Such will undoubtedly be the case if the plans of members of the house committees on finance and public works, who visited Dayton, Cincinnati and Middletown Friday and Saturday, of last week, are carried into execution. The Seventy-seventh general assembly will make an appropriation for the improvement of the Miami & Erie canal so that power canal boats will soon be in operation from Toledo to Cincinnati.

The possibilities of power canal boats upon which the members of the committees took two short trips, and which are of such light draft that they can almost be operated upon a heavy dew, were in the nature of a revelation.

Legislators who made the trip were: Senator Hafner, chairman of the senate finance committee; Representative Baldwin, chairman of the house finance committee, and Representatives Paine, Spangler, Kehnast, Neely, Schuler, Lersch and Ritter.

Representative Paine, of Toledo, said after his return to Columbus: "Two years ago I was skeptical about the value of the canals of the state, and was inclined to the belief that they should be abandoned as water ways and disposed of to the best possible advantage to the state.

"Having seen the power canal boats in operation and ascertained something with reference to their utility, I am convinced tha the canals should not be retarded by the state, but improved. It is estimated that $250,000 will be a sufficient appropriation to open the Miami & Erie canal from the lake to the Ohio river to these boats, and an appropriation bill for this amount may be introduced."

Members of the committee explained that, heretofore, the wash from the expertmental propeller wheel of power canal boats has caused the mud from the banks to be carried into the canal, gradually filling them, but this difficulty has been entirely overcome by the inventor of the power canal boats operated between Dayton and Cincinnati by the Ohio boat company.

The boats are 80 feet long, 12 feet beam, and their draught, loaded is 10 inches, with a carrying capacity of 800 to 1,000 tons.

The power is supplied by a 30-horse-power gasoline engine. The propeller wheel is well aft and directly under the boat, in a cylindrical cut-out, so it is impossible for it to drag upon the bottom of the canal even though the boat may go around. Above the propeller is a standpipe, from which the air is exhausted by means of a pump connected with the gasoline engine which supplies power for the boat. The air being exhausted, the standpipe fills with water, and the propeller wheel works under five feet of water, driving the boat at the rate of six miles an hour or faster. The action of the propeller in its peculiar position is such that the bottom of the canal is scoured, keeping the channel open, and the banks are not affected by the wash.

A crew of three men and twenty gallons of gasoline will keep a boat going all day, and eight of these boats are in operation between Dayton, Middletown and Cincinnati.

For this type of boat, practically all the improvements the canal needs are new lock gates, and members of the committee were given assurance that if the legislature will make this comparatively small improvement and outline a definite policy of canal maintenance, many power boats will be placed in operation upon the canals, the tolls thus making them paying propositions for the state.

The northern end of the Miami and Erie canal is, as a general thing, in better condition than the southern end. It was originally constructed in a more scientific manner. When the southern end of the canal was built, the contract was given to the only man in Ohio who owned a level. The northern end was built by New York engineers of experience who had just completed the Erie canal.

Representative Spangler, of Henry county, says that, with renewal of the lock gates, power boats of this new type would be placed in operation between Toledo and as far south at least, as Defiance, and would do a large and profitable business in short haul freight. The experience of the Ohio Boat company, members of the legislative committee say, is that their boats can do short haul package freight business at about one-eighth of the railroad tariffs, and where three days are required by the railroads for delivery of Cincinnati freight to Dayton, and vice versa, the power canal obats deliver it in one day.

A public joint meeting of the senate and house committee on finance was held Tuesday night at Columbus for the purpose of hearing arguments on the canal question, and at which time the legislative committee agreed that something must be done.

All who participated in the debate agreed with the unequivocal statement of Governor Herrick, in his last message to the general assembly, that the canals of the state must either be rehabilitated or abandoned.

It was also agreed that the best artificial waterway the state has is the Miami and Erie canal, from Toledo to Cincinnati, and that, if it were gradually improved it would, within ten years, be a large revenue producer for the state.

Among those who urged the benefits which might be derived from the state canal system were Albert Betinger, vice president of the Ohio Valley Improvement association; J. T. McHugh, formerly president of the Cincinnati Chamber of Commerce; J. Gano Wright, chairman of the canal committee of the Cincinnati Business Men's association; J. J. Dauch, who operates a paper mill at Delphos; Senator Rosek, Representative Tinker, of Ross county, and Attorney Harry Probasco.

The committees took no action, but will hold another joint session, behind closed doors, when the question of recommending an appropriation for canal improvement will be decided.—Delphos Courant.

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New York, March 13.—Announcement was made that a reply would be sent as soon as possible by the anthracite miners' committee of seven to the committee representing the coal operators. The announcement was received through a letter written by President Mitchell of the United Mine Workers of America, stating that this reply will be in answer to the statement which the operators made concerning their attitude on the original demands of the miners' committee. The letter was sent to George F. Baer, chairman of the operators' committee.

Test of Armor Plate.

Washington, March 13.—An interesting test of armor plate made by the Midvale Steel company for the new battleship Mississippi has been held at the Indian Head proving grounds. The ballistic plate was nine inches thick and represented 470 tons of similar plate. It was attacked by capped 8-inch armour piercing projectiles but none of the projectiles pierced the plate. The test was pronounced very satisfactory.

Report Confirmed.

Shanghai, March 13.—Private advices received here from Kiukiang, province of Kuangsi confirms the previous reports that the magistrate who died at Nanchang March 1 as the result of a stab wound, said to have been received at the hands of a Catholic missionary, committed suicide.

Conscription Lists Missing.

Suwalki, Russian Poland, March 13.—The court has been robbed of the conscription lists.

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Cridersville Farmers Institute.

The 13th annual Farmers' Institute was held at Cridersville Friday and Saturday, March 2nd and 3rd.

The meeting was opened by singing "America," and the Rev. Eckhardt invoked Divine blessing.

Mayor Burkhardt made the address of welcome.

John Begg delivered his first address upon the subject of "Potato Culture in Generar Farming." Statistics show that Anglaize county has nearly doubled the acreage of potatoes each year that Allen county has but the latter produces somewhat more to the acre. Soil that produces good wheat is best adapted to growing potatoes. Mr. Begg advocates spring plowing best for potatoes; plow from eight to ten inches deep. He stated that the soil for either corn or potatoes should have half of the cultivation before the seed is planted, which prepares the ground for retaining moisture.

A. L. Dobie discussed "Crop Rotation," and in the afternoon he spoke on "Intensive Farming."

G. L. Breese discussed "Alfalfa" and J. E. Bowsher "A Run Down Farm Remedy."

These subjects were discussed by Elias Bowsher, Rev. Eckhardt, T. Crabb, H. D. Bowsher, John Frazier and others.

Mr. Begg then followed with "Care and Treatment of Soils." He likened the farmer's soil as his capital stock in trade, as the merchant does his merchandise, or as the banker does his money. Every acre, he claims, has tons of fertility. The following phrase was then given: "Feed your soil and it will feed you; starve your soil and it will starve you." The principal properties to be kept in the soil in abundance are, phosphoric acid, nitrogen, potash, and humus, the last not least.

In the evening M. L. Mayer and John Begg were the principal speakers and their remarks were interspersed with music. Saturday A. L. Dobie spoke on "Some Objects of Cultivation," and he was followed by G. E. Kelly, George Breese and T. M. Dotson.

Mr. Begg then spoke on "Growing Young Cattle." In the afternoon Begg and Dobie were on the programme.

C. N. Burkhardt talked on "Hogging of Corn or a Hog in the Corn field."

At the close of the fifth session the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President A. E. Brentlinger; Vice-President, D. A. Bowsher; Secretary C. W. Burkhardt; Treasurer, Ezra DeLong; Executive Committee, Amos Reichelderfer, G. L. Breese, Amos Harpster, G. W. Romshe and John Osenbaugh.

At the last session, Dobie gave much valuable advice to young men and women starting out in life, his subject being, "Looking Forward." Special mention should be made, if space would permit, concerning various recitations and readings as well as of the singing and instrumental music.

The two Romshe boys contributed much toward entertaining on the piano and violin. The following persons constituted the choir of home talent whose assistance was almost invaluable to perfect the success of the institute: Mesdames E. E. Arthur, E. W. Osenbaugh, Robert Fisher, Misses Leota Reichelderfer, Lizzie Haines, Frances Fasig, Blanche Redd, Bessie Kirk, Messrs. T. M. Dotson, P. B. Blank, H. S. Black and J. W. Haruff.

The farmers seemed pleased in having secured such lecturers at this independent institute, whose talks were all practical and helpful, and taking all in all, it was one of the best ever held in Cridersville.

Resolutions.

We, the farmers of Auglaize and Allen counties in institute assembled feel to express some of our many desires as follows:

Whereas, the agricultural interests of this country are the most momentous in its operation, contributing more to the upbuilding of the country than any other—more capital being employed therein—more people being employed in it and gaining their support from the same, and the output of product being greater than that of any other of several others combined, therefore be it

Resolved, That we request our legislators—both state and national—to enact such laws as will give the agricultural interest at least as favorable considerations as any other of the great interests of our country; and more specifically.

1. That while we are in favor of reciprocity, we oppose any act of such as is made without due regard to the interests of agriculture.

2. That while in favor of road improvement, recognizing that any such is a benefit to the farmer, we are very much opposed to the farmers having to bear, in the future, the unjustly large share of the burden of the same—the merchant, the liveryman, the manufacturer and the tourist—each should, by law, be compelled to pay an equitable share of the burden thereof.

3. That we are heartily in sympathy with our Governor in his advice to lessen the number of officials in both county and state by abolishing certain officers—combining their duties with that of others—thereby lowering the taxes, which unquestionably fall largely upon the agricultural interests.

4. That the plan of listing properties for taxation be so changed that the capitalist, the corporation, agriculturists, etc., pay their just proportion of the burden of carrying on the government.

5. That as the farmer feeds the quail and as the quail in turn is one of the farmer's best helpers, it should rightly be considered his property and the killing of such should be entirely prohibited indefinitely, and until such a law is enacted we advise the farmers one and all against the granting of permission to anyone to hunt upon their premises.

6. That we are unalterably opposed to any legislation that shall favor any competitor against the dairy interest of our country.

7. That we shall favor the most rigid enforcement of the laws pertaining to pure foods and feel that such officers should be nonpartisan.

8. That we are in favor of any amendment to the constitution, whereby our senators shall be elected by the voice of the people.

9. That we are heartily in favor of official reports such as the reports of county commissioners being published in the county papers.

10. That we believe the amendment to the constitution exempting from taxation, public bonds in the hands of the private parties is unjust to holders of other forms of property, and earnestly ask that an amendment restoring such bonds to the grand duplicate be submitted to the voters of Ohio as soon as possible.

11. That our sincere regards are due our state speakers, Messrs. Dobie and Begg, for their very excellent advice, to the town council for the use of the town hall, to the mayor for his assistance, to the choir for its excellent music and to all others who have aided in making this institute a success. Also to B. S. Porter & Son, of Lima, for the free use of a piano.

12. That we ask for state aid at our farmers' institute next year.

RAY MOYER,
J. W. ARTHUR,
G. E. KELLY,
Committee

Address Ohio Farmer, Cleveland, O.

O. S. U. WINS THE DEBATE

Contest With University of Indiana at Columbus.

Columbus, Ohio, March 13.—Ohio State university won the intercollegiate debate with the University of Indiana, which took place here Saturday night, the judges deciding two to one in favor of O. S. U.

Ohio State had the affirmative of the question: "Resolved, That the interests of the people would be best subserved by the enactment of federal legislation regulating the insurance business.

SUES FOR FALSE ARREST.

Findlay, Ohio, March 13.—George Slangle has brought suit against Samuel Fiser, alleging that in the month of January the defendant had plaintiff arrested on the charge of horse stealing in Wood county where he was confined for ten hours. He says that as a result of this action he was injured in reputation and credit and that he can no longer deal in horses. He asks for damages in the amount of $2,500.

FATAL FALL ONTO FENCE.

Bellefontaine, Ohio, March 13.—Word has been received here of the death in Michigan of Clarence Williams, formerly a resident here. He fell from a ladder onto a fence, and was impaled on a picket.

HIGHWAYMAN CONVICTED.

Bellefontaine, Ohio, March 13.—Vernon Williams has been found guilty of highway robbery. He held up E. T. Hornbeck, an aged man, took $8 from his pocket and then slugged him.

Mexican Veterans' Pensions.

Washington, March 13.—The senate committee on pensions voted to raise the pensions of Mexican war veterans from $12 to $20 per month and that a favorable report be made on Senator Gallinger's bill for that purpose.

Standard Plant Burned.

Sarina, Ont., March 13.—Three buildings at the local plant of the Imperial Oil company were destroyed by fire. Loss $50,000. The Imperial Oil company is the Canadian branch of the Standard Oil company.

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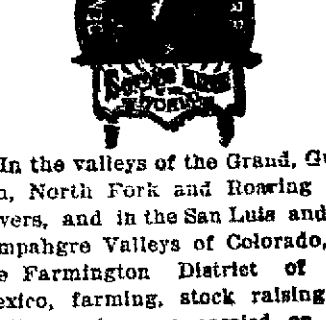

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East Bound.

*No. 8 New York Express 3:55 a m
xNo. 22 Marion and Columbus Accommodation...8:21 a m
*No. 4 New York and Boston Vestibuled Limited 5:05 p m
xNo. 14 Wells Fargo Ex...9:45 p m
*No. 10 Chautauqua and Buffalo Limited........10:42 p m

West Bound.

*No. 7 Chicago Express..12:35 a m
*No. 9 Chicago Limited .. 1:32 a m
xNo. 21 Chicago Accom....8:42 a m
*No. 3 Chicago Vestibuled Limited ....11:47 a m
xNo. 13 Wells Fargo Ex....4:41 p m

*—Daily.
x—Daily except Sunday.
z—Daily except Monday.

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Time Card in effect Sunday June 25

No. SOUTH BOUND.
7 leaves daily ....3:00 a. m
11 leaves daily, except Sun 5:35 a. m
1, leaves daily, ...9:30 a. m.
5 leaves daily ....12:40 p. m
3 leaves daily ....4:15 p. m.
9 leaves daily .... 6:05 p. m
13 arrives daily, ex. Sun ..8:45 p. m
65 leaves Sunday only ....7:10 a. m

No. NORTH BOUND.
12 leaves daily ....2:05 a. m.
14 leaves daily ex Sun.... 6:30 a. m
14, leaves daily ....5:30 a. m.
2 leaves daily ex. Sun.....8:06 a. m.
4 leaves daily ....11:55 a. m.
4 leaves daily ....4:30 p. m.
8 leaves daily ....7:25 p. m
10 arrives, ex. Sun........9:45 p. m
60 arrives Sunday only ..7:43 a. m
62 arrives Sunday only ...9:55 p. m

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New Schedule.

Going North.

No. 2 going North.

No 2, 11:44 a. m., Daily except Sunday.

From East Lima.

No. 41, 6.15 a m., Local Freight, Daily except Sunday.

Going South.

No. 1, 2:20 p. m. Daily except Sunday.

No. 45, Local Freight, 5:50 a. m., Daily except Sunday.

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	North.	South.
Lima	3.30	9:38
Gomer	3:13	9:11
Jones City	3:27	9:04
Seltz	3:33	8:50
Elida	A3:46	L8:35
	L3:58	A8:23
Donington	3:50	8.15
*Leon	4:06	8:06
Continental	A4:18	L7:58
	L4:33	A7:46
*Rice	4:45	7:30
*Southerton	4.53	7:25
Defiance	5:10	7:10

* Flag Stations.

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Wapakoneta ....7:45 A. M
Moulton ....8:33 A. M
St. Marys ....8:50 A. M.
New Bremen ....9:35 A. M
Minster ....10: A. M
Celina ....11:30 A. M

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Consignments on the 12:40 car will reach

Wapak at ....1:30 P. M.
Botkins ....2:15 P. M
Anna ....2:30 P. M.
Sidney ....2:50 P. M.
Piqua ....3:35 P. M.
Troy ....4:20 P. M.
Tip. City ....4:30 P. M.
Dayton ....5:00 P. M.
Springfield ....6:00 P. M.

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bread between his fingers. At last he resolutely cleared his throat and began harshly: "Well, boys, the game halts right here. You see where Kelly & Raymond are—they're flat. We've got a good mine if we could work it, but we can't. Just about every dollar we had to spare went into that machinery, and our ore shipments were just beginning. I've been doing a little figuring, and I find we can pretty near pay all that's due you, but we can't do any more. If this strike were settled we might get somebody to come in and help us put up a new power plant, but as things shape up at this present time we're 'up a stump,' as they say back in Ohio. So I guess we'll have to let you go." There was a movement among the men which he felt as a protest, but he continued: "I hate to do this, especially now in the winter, but you can see how it is. If I were in your places I would go to Reese and the other independents and stick by 'em; help them fight this thing through on fair play lines."

His slight pause brought no response. When he began again his voice was softened. "And, boys, ride up and tell Matt a good word. He's hard hit."

His voice trembled dangerously, and he was forced to stop.

The tension was eased away by Nary, one of the older men, who broke out with deep lunged profanity in order to conceal his good heart.

"Well, I don't know how the rest of you feel, but I want to turn right in and put this mine into shape again and lynch the dogs that blew us up!"

Raymond lifted his hand. "Hold on, boys. Don't be too quick on the trigger. Keep cool till I ride up on the hill and take a look around and have a little talk with Munro. We must rally all the independents, which will take time, and, besides, you must remember I have a very sick boy on my hands, and there is Baker, who needs care. Don't rush. Let me go up and see what the sheriff seems likely to do. As I've told you before, I've no theory about the labor question. I never was up against it before, and I'm a little uncertain. I've always believed in the best man winning. I picked you fellows because you were likely chaps. I'm paying you the highest wages going because you earn it. You're satisfied, you say, and I don't see why we are not privileged to go ahead in our own way. I haven't felt any need of going into this fight for the benefit of the crowd till now. It looks now as though we should take a hand. Anyhow, we'll give Munro another chance to do us justice, and if he don't, then—well, we'll try some other plan." He shook off this disagreeable cloak of doubt. "But be that as it may, boys, I shall never forget the good work you've done for me when you knew the crowd was against you."

As they stepped out into the warm afternoon sun Kelly, with a jocular note in his voice, remarked, "Well, Robbie, we're gents at leisure. Nothing to do now but play the nurse"—here his voice swiftly changed "or do battle."

"If it were not for the women and the sick I'd fight. We have nothing to lose now, and the boys are hot for it. Have you been up the street?"

"No, I have not."

"I don't see what we can do with these two wounded men and the boy and the women on our hands. Matt, the real heart of this opposition is now in one man. If he were taken away these rowdy miners would scatter like grouse."

Kelly turned quickly. "You mean Munro?"

"I do! I'm going up to have an interview with him."

Kelly laid a big hand on his arm "You're takin' a big risk. Let me go instead."

"No, you must stay here. I am going, and I am going unarmed. I am safer with empty hands, Matt. They will not shoot an unarmed man. I'm going to make one more appeal to Munro."

Mounting his horse, Raymond rode rapidly out along the ridge toward the hill on which the fortification stood. He passed now and then a group of men who knew him, and while one or two greeted him pleasantly all the others met his glance with menace. He felt the hot breath of their hate, but passed on without haste, regretting his action in leaving his revolvers behind him.

The camp had eaten its midday meal—for even in times of war men must eat; the miners had hastily devoured their rough food and were swarming on the hillside overlooking the sheriff's encampment. The vedettes were bivouacked in a small grove of firs to the left and a little below the fort (which was merely a log corral banked with dirt), and Munro was directing the shovel brigade at work on the walls of the redoubt, which was growing rapidly under the brisk movement of chattering miners.

As Raymond neared the crowd of onlookers he recognized Denver Dan and one or two other horsemen, but for the most part the spectators were strangers and plainly hostile.

He had drawn rein to pass to the left when Brock stepped forth on foot and roughly called out:

"What's your business up here?"

"I want to find Munro."

"Well, you go back to your shack and keep out of this."

Raymond smiled. "When did you become roadmaster?"

Brock raised his voice so that the rapidly gathering crowd might hear. "Here's the spy that warned the sheriff not to come on the freight train. Here's the man that ruined our plans. You can't deny that," he said, laying a hand on the horse's rein

"I don't intend to deny it," replied Raymond, facing the lowering faces of the close packed throng as a mastiff might face a pack of coyotes, "and, what's more, I don't intend to apologize for it."

"Lynch him!" shouted some fellow at the back. "Lynch the spy!"

Raymond had been in danger many times in his life, but never had he looked down into such hate inflamed faces as now encircled him. The old reckless heart came back to him He lifted his voice in appeal: "Have I a friend here? If I have, let him throw me a gun! I want to go fighting!"

"Here you are!" called a stranger, and a big, glittering revolver came whirling over the heads of the mob.

Raymond caught it deftly, and with the touch of its handle to his palm his eyes narrowed and his white teeth set: "Now let the dance begin! Some of you will cross the range with me!"

Denver Dan attempted a diversion. "Look out, fellers; here comes Jack!"

Munro's name and the pistol in Raymond's hand induced a pause The foremost of the assailants turned toward the captain of the vedettes, riding swiftly to the rescue. "What's going on here?" he shouted as he reached the outskirts of the crowd.

Brock was ready. "Here's the man who has played with our plans all along, pretending to be neutral when he was nothing but a dirty, slinking spy from the very beginning."

"Liar!" shouted Raymond, and his boot toe caught the ruffian in the mouth and he staggered back among his fellows with a hoarse cry. For a moment he was dazed, then, raging, furious, his mouth streaming with blood, he jerked his revolver from its holder, intent to kill, but a hand clutched

"Liar!" shouted Raymond.

arm, and Munro, spurring his horse into the mass of irresolute men, called out, "Brock, I'll kill you if you shoot—this is a friend of mine—you know that! He's stood out against us all along, but he's been on the square. I sent him to the Springs myself."

Brock wiped the blood from his lips. "Mebbe you asked him to wire the sheriff last night He admits he sent a messenger to warn him."

Cries of frenzied rage broke forth again, and the crowd surged against the two horses. Furious, throaty cries broke forth

"Kill him!" "Hang him!"

Munro blew a signal to his men, and his voice rang out clear and sharp. "The first man that reaches a hand out of that circle loses it If any lynching is done, I preside over it. Dan, come in here—you, too, Cook."

The two cowboys spurred their horses into the circle, and the four armed and resolute men faced the angry mob and held it at bay. Raymond, even in this hour of danger, regretted Munro's assistance; it put him under an obligation which weakened him. With his mind filled with conflicting considerations, he waited while the swift clatter of a hundred hoofs drew near and a squad of Munro's picked men surrounded their captain.

When they were clear of danger Raymond drew rein toward Munro. "Jack, you saved my scalp today, and I'm grateful, that's why I don't want to see you in the hands of the sheriff. I want you to pull out this minute. Come, now, this is the last appeal. Fly the coop. If you don't, they'll hang you.

JAS. L. VERTNER TRAVELS OVER TWICE AROUND THE GLOBE DELIVERING MAIL.

The January number of the World's Work says the average amount of mail distributed by the rural postman is one hundred and seven newspapers, fifty-four letters and postals and three parcels, making total delivery of one hundred and sixty-four pieces of mail on each trip This weighs about twenty pounds and would about fill a bushel basket. At the same time the postman will gather in an average of 20 letters and postals and two other pieces of mail, in all weighing about two pounds. This makes the average handling for each postman, one hundred and eighty-six pieces of mail each day. There are thirty thousand carriers to serve the eighteen million people on rural routes.

After reading this, we wondered how nearly the Rockport route came up to the average one In reply to our query, James L. Vartner, the carrier, submitted the following interesting report.

Rural free delivery on route No 1, from the Beaver Dam postoffice, was established by order of the Postoffice Department, Washington, D. C., June 4th, 1900, through the recommendation of W. B. Gaitree, of Cincinnati, division superintendent of rural routes. The original route was nineteen miles long, but when the postoffice at Cranberry was discontinued Oct. 31, 1902, the route was extended one and one-eighth miles. Again in July of 1905 another extension of two miles was made to accommodate a dozen or more families who had been having to go from one to two miles for their mail. The present route is twenty-two and one-eighth miles in length.

Four hundred and sixty-nine thousand, four hundred and fifty-two pieces of mail have been collected and distributed, making an average of two hundred and sixty-five pieces, or 79 pieces more every day than what the average carrier handles. There are on hundred and sixty-six families on this route and as many as six hundred individuals are thus daily accorded the privilege of free mail delivery.

Mr. Vertner has been the accommodating postman of rural route No. 1, since its establishment and was one of the first to receive appointment in Allen county. He has traveled (counting the distance to and from the distributing office in addition to the route) fifty one thousand, four hundred and thirty-six miles, or a distance equal to twice around the world and 1,436 miles on the third circle. He is proud of the fact that he is still driving the same horse that has covered thirty-five thousand miles of this distance. The distance a postman must go every day makes the reason plain why rural carriers are entitled to the right-of-way along public roads. Teamsters so often feel that they have heavy loads and should have the whole thing, forgetting that the postman has a long way to go, and often through very muddy roads, so even if the little white wagons are light, the rural carrier should be given consideration. The postmen have a right to all the broken track, but most of them are satisfied with half of it. Surely Uncle Sam's mail should be respected that much by everybody.

Another matter that should deserve consideration from the public is, stopping the postman for matters other than the delivery of mail. Their time is not their own but belongs to the government and no matter how friendly and obliging the carrier may be when off duty, he feels that he has so much distance to cover in so much time and he does not like to be stopped when on duty, neither does he like to be uncivil or disobliging. It is only the thoughtless ones who ask him for his valuable time. The patrons further on are as anxious for their mail as you was for yours and when one hinders the postman, everyone on the route is inconvenienced. Handling 265 pieces of mail is more than play and the patrons should help all they can by having the mail properly directed, sealed and stamped and in the box with the signal in shape for attention.

The salary of the first carrier was $400 per annum. In July, 1900, this sum was increased to $500, and on March 1, 1902, another $100 was added. The salary now is governed by length of route and time of service, in accordance of which Mr Vertner gets $720 per year since Feb 1, 1905. Since Feb. 1, 1902, application for rural carriers has been in accordance with rules prescribed by the Civil Service Commission.—Bluffton News.

Shipwrecked Crews.

San Francisco, March 13.—Captain Fussel of the schooner Mary Ann, and E. B. Greaves of Seattle, part owner in that vessel, reached port on the schooner Marion. They tell a story of shipwreck and suffering and possibly greater disaster to the cod fishing fleet in Alaskan waters. The Mary Ann went ashore on the Alaskan coast on November 13. A furious storm was raging and boat after boat was smashed by the sea Finally a seaman breasted the surf and got a line ashore and eight men, captain and crew, were rescued. Captain Fussel says that the schooner Nellie Coleman was in the same storm and has not since been heard from.

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William I. Lewis has had another very successful season of trapping. His game list thus far includes eleven hundred muskrats, seventeen coon, twenty-seven mink and four skunk. He started out on the twentieth day of last October and the open winter gave him an excellent opportunity to follow his favorite vocation, which is not only profitable, but affords a good deal of enjoyment.

For years he has traveled along the water ways of this section and knows the favorite haunts of the shy denizens of the woods and creeks. After trapping along the shores of Big and Little Riley, Marsh Run, Sugar and Hog creeks, he may be found along the banks of the Blanchard, Maumee and Auglaize rivers or the canals in the western tier of counties. Along the latter waters he generally goes with his boat and camping outfit and is away for weeks.

Mr. Lewis's method of proceeding is to skin each animal immediately after it is removed from the trap On returning home the skins are stretched and prepared for the market. The large number and variety of furs as they dangle from the poles in an outhouse at his home on Lawn avenue present quite an interesting appearance. Part of this year's crop has already been disposed of to good advantage.—Bluffton News.

Typhus in Mexico.

Mexico City, March 13.—There were but 23 new cases of typhus Saturday and three deaths, which indicates a diminution of the disease by reason of showers which have laid the dust and flushed sewers. The typus has been mostly confined to the First and Second wards, inhabited largely by poor people. The board of health hopes by measures adopted to permanently check the disease. The number of cases since October 1 is 2,059, with 505 deaths.

Train Derailed.

Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., March 13.—Train No. 7, westbound, on the Canadian Pacific railroad was derailed near Nairn station. It is reported that two persons were killed and several were injured. Nairn station is on what is known as the Soo branch. It is understood that the accident was caused by the engine jumping the track. Traffic has been blocked since the accident.

The Original Paul Pry.

Thomas Hill, familiarly called Tommy Hill, was, says Dr. Brewer, the original Paul Pry. It was from him also that Theodore Hook drew his character of Gilbert Gurney. Planche in his "Recollections" says of Hill: "His specialty was the accurate information he could impart on all the petty details of the domestic economy of his friends, the contents of their wardrobes, their pantries, the number of pots of preserves in their store closets and of the table napkins in their linen presses, the dates of their births and marriages, the amounts of their tradesmen's bills and whether paid weekly or quarterly. He had been on the press and was connected with the Morning Chronicle. He used to drive Matthews crazy by ferreting out his whereabouts when he left London and popping the information in some paper."

Etiquette of Bygone Days.

An old manual of etiquette shows that the people of bygone days were not so different from those of the present, for the treatise thinks it necessary to state that one should never ask a friend where she bought her gown and the uttermost farthing of its cost. To this rule, however, an astonishing exception is made. One might ask these things, it seems, if one really wanted to get a gown exactly like the one in question and were therefore asking sincerely for information. Evidently in these days, when sisters thought it smart to dress exactly alike, it was considered a compliment to copy a friend's gown. Another interesting statement of this precious manual is that no lady looks worse than when "gnawing a bone."

LOCAL MARKETS.

This list is corrected every day. Prices paid by Lima Merchants Tuesday, March 13, 1906:

New Potatoes	70@80
Hay, bulk	6.00@7.00
Baled Hay	9.50
Creamery butter, per lb	28@30
Country Butter, per lb	16@18
Eggs, per doz.	12@14
Lard, per lb	8@8½
Bacon, per lb	10@12
Spring Chickens, per lb	7@8
Chickens, per lb	8@8½
Ducks, per lb	6@7
Turkey, per lb	13@14
Turkey, dressed, per lb	18@22
Wheat, new	.77
Wheat, old	77
Corn, per bu	40
New Corn	38@40
Oats, old per bu	30
Oats, new, per bu	25
Hungarian	1.00@1.25
Millett	90@1.00
Clover Seed, per bu	7.50@800
Timothy Seed	2.00@2.40
Timothy Hay, choice	9.00@9.50
Veal Calves	5.00
Cows, per cwt	2.00@3.00
Heifers, per cwt	3.25@4.00
Steers, per cwt	3.25@4.00
Hogs, rough	4.00@4.50
Hogs, straight	4.75@5.00

OIL MARKET.

Tiona	$1.68
Pennsylvania	1.58
New Castle	1.35
Corning	1.10
Cabell County	1.18
Whitehouse	1.30
North Lima	.94
South Lima	.89
Indiana	.89
Somerset	.89
Ragland	.55

Kansas Oils.

32 gravity	.51
31½ gravity	.43
31 gravity	.45
30½ gravity	.42
30 gravity	.40
Fuel oil	.35

GRAIN AND LIVE STOCK.

EAST BUFFALO — Cattle: Good to export, $5 15@5 75; shipping steers, $4 85@5 25; butcher cattle, $4 05@5 00; heifers, $3 00@5 00; fat cows, $2 50@4 50; bulls, $3 50@4 75, milkers and springers, $20 00 @50 00. Sheep and Lambs — Good to choice yearlings, $6 00@6 25; wethers, $6 00@6 15; mixed, $5 50@5 75; ewes, $5 00@5 85; lambs, $6 00@7 15. Calves—Best, $8 00@8 50. Hogs—Heavies, $6 55 @6 60; mediums, $6 55; Yorkers, $6 50; pigs, $6 40@6 45; roughs, $5 25@5 50; stags, $4 25@5 00.

CHICAGO — Cattle: Common to prime steers, $3 85@6 40; cows, $2 65@4 50; heifers, $2 50@5 00; bulls, $2 40@4 35. Sheep and Lambs — Sheep, $4 00@6 25; lambs, $6 25@7 00; yearlings, $5 50@6 40. Calves—$4 00@7 75. Hogs — Choice to prime heavy, $6 25@6 30, medium to good heavy, $6 20@6 25; butcher weights, $6 20 @6 27½; good to choice heavy mixed, $6 15@6 25; packing, $5 80@5 23½. Wheat—No. 2 red, 81@82c. Corn—No. 2, 41c. Oats—No. 2, 28¾c.

CELVELAND — Cattle: Choice fat steers, $5 00@5 50; heifers, $4 25@4 75; cows, $3 00@4 00; bulls, $3 75@4 00; milkers and springers, $10 00@40 00. Sheep and Lambs—Good to choice lambs, $7 00@7 15, culls, $6 00@6 60; wethers, $5 50@5 75; mixed, $5 00@5 50; ewes, $4 75@5 25. Calves—$8 75 down. Hogs—Mixed weights, $6 50; pigs, $6 30@6 35; stags, $4 25@4 75; roughs, $5 25@5 85.

PITTSBURG — Cattle: Choice, $5 50@5 75; prime, $5 30@5 60; good, $5 10@5 25, tidy butchers', $4 65@5 00; heifers, $3 00@4 40, bulls, stags and cows, $2 00 @4 00; fresh cows and springers, $25 00 @50 00. Sheep and Lambs—Prime wethers, $5 80@6 00, good mixed, $5 60@5 75; lambs, $5 00@7 25. Calves—Veal, $6 00@8 50. Hogs—Heavy hogs, mediums and heavy Yorkers, $6 70; light Yorkers, $6 50 @6 60, pigs, $6 25@6 35.

CINCINNATI—Wheat, No. 2 red, 84½ @86c. Corn—No. 2 mixed, 44c. Oats—No. 2 mixed, 32½@33c. Rye — No. 2, 82c. Lard—$7 50. Bulk meats—$8 25. Bacon—$9 87½. Hogs — $5 25@6 47½. Cattle—$2 00@5 25. Sheep—$3 50@5 75. Lambs—$4 50@7 50.

NEW YORK—Wheat: No. 2 red, 84½c. Corn—No. 2, 55½c Oats—Mixed, 34½@34¾c.

TOLEDO — Wheat, 82c; corn, 43¼c; oats, 31½c; rye, 65c; cloverseed, $8 00.

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BAND MEMBERS

WILL HOLD AN IMPORTANT MEETING WEDNESDAY.

Wednesday evening, in the office of W. F. Numan, in the Masonic building, the trustees and active and honorary members of the Merchants' band will hold an important meeting. Upon the result of this meeting hinges the question of whether Mr. Farrar will or will not become a citizen of Lima and continue to direct the band. It is urged that all members attend the meeting and all committees now outstanding will be required to report at this meeting.

SIX INJURED

Three Fatally In a Street Car Collision at Omaha This Morning.

OMAHA, NEB., MARCH 13.—SPECIAL—IN A STREET CAR COLLISION IN THIS CITY THIS MORNING AN UNKNOWN LABORER WAS KILLED AND SIX PERSONS INJURED, THREE FATALLY.

LOOKS

Like Real Business at the Factory

FORMERLY OCCUPIED BY THE AMERICAN TOBACCO COMPANY THE NEW HOME OF THE LIMA WATCH COMPANY.

It will not be many days until Lima will have a real watch factory and time will be ground out at an unusually rapid rate.

As has been stated in the NEWS the Watch Company has purchased of Hawisher Brothers the large brick building formerly leased by the American Tobacco Company, located at the corner of Elm and Main streets, and daily several car loads of machinery are unloaded and transferred to the new factory. The machinery comes from a plan in Wisconsin. General Manager Bell, of the Watch Company, who has been in the city for several days, and who will locate here permanently, has been a very busy man, superintending a number of changes being made about the building and in the placing of the machinery.

GENERAL STRIKE SURE TO COME APRIL 1ST.

All Coal Users Should Lay In Supply.

A general strike of the coal miners of the United States will become effective April 1st, 1906, unless the miners agree to continue work at the old wage scale, which is not probable as the miners are having trouble in their own organization, and they have on hand at the present time a strike fund of over 5 million dollars which they are anxious to get rid of. The coal mine owners have issued their ultimatum, which is that they will pay no advance in wages.

We advise all users of coal to lay in their supply of coal and be prepared for this great strike, which according to indications will be the worst that ever happened in this country. Do not forget your experiences of 3 years ago, when coal was nearly impossible to get at any price.

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CASE

Of Mable Gertrude Lark is Postponed

INDEFINITELY ON ACCOUNT OF SICKNESS—IS CONFINED TO HER BED THIS AFTERNOON.

Gertrude Mable Lark, the proprietress of the Great Southern Hotel, is reported by her attorney to be quite sick this afternoon and confined to her bed. The trial, which was set for hearing tomorrow, has been postponed indefinitely as a result.

LIMA

To Ada Branch Line is Planned

BY SCHOEPF PEOPLE WHO WANT TO OPERATE A SPUR TO THE EAST FROM ALLEN COUNTY.

New Line to be Built and in Operation in a Year, It Is Said.

(Kenton News.)

From plans which have been made known in Lima, Hardin county is to have an electric line which will be an extension of the present Schoepf holdings in that city. However from what has so far been given out, the line has not been planned to reach Kenton, but only to extend as a branch line from Lima to Ada. But there is some hope in that. If a line is to be built as far as Ada, Kenton might be able to have it completed on to the county seat of Hardin county by showing some enterprise, and thus our city would be connected in such a way that there would be little doubt but that railroad people would see the possibilities and connect the city up with some of the other neighboring lines.

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TRYING

To Collect $425 From Their Former Client

The case of Welty & Downing, attorneys, vs. Milton A. Stemple, is being heard today in Common Pleas Court. It is alleged that Stemple entered into a contract with this law firm to file an action against the C., H. & D. for injuries claimed to have been received by his wife in a railroad wreck at Swanders, but that he afterwards settled with the railroad company. They now sue for $425, the amount of their fee.

FUNERAL

OF MRS. LUCINDA WOODS WAS HELD AT BEAVERDAM TODAY.

Mrs. Lucinda Woods, who died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. David Cotner, at Beaverdam, was buried today at Beaverdam. Deceased was one of the pioneers of the county and for the past fifty years has lived in the vicinity of Beaverdam. She is survived by three children by her first marriage. They are Reason Clark, Mrs. Alice Bollinger and Mrs. David Cotner.

RITCHIE

Who Has Been Prominently Identified with

THE GREAT SOUTHERN HOTEL, IS ARRESTED AT THE INSTANCE

Of the Lima Home & Savings Association, Who Charges Fraud in the Sum of $300.

James O. Ritchie, who has been connected with the Great Southern Hotel since its airing by the police, was arrested in Ottawa yesterday on a serious charge and was brought back to this city late yesterday afternoon. He is charged with having defrauded the Lima Home & Savings Association, the amount being three hundred dollars. To this charge he pleaded not guilty and was bound over to the grand jury in the sum of five hundred dollars. Ritchie was employed at the Great Southern Hotel as bartender. E. P. Miller, a young man who has been acting as porter at the Great Southern, was also arrested on the same charge.

ONLY CIGAR IN ITS CLASS.

Wm. Melville the Druggist Never Saw Cigar Before That Equaled Chico for Same Money.

While there are many cigars that are just as good as Wadsworth Bros.' Chico, it is in reality in a class by itself, for no other as good sells for 5c. Cigars that equal it sell for 10c, and more.

In asking Mr. Melville, who has the local agency for the Wadsworth Bros.' Chico, how this could be done, he said that is was owing to cutting out the middle man. I buy the Chico direct from the factory in Binghamton, and while it costs me more than any other 5c cigar in our case, yet we are glad to sell it, for it makes new friends and customers for my cigar department.

Anyone who enjoys a clear Havana smoke, whose taste is cultivated so that he knows a good cigar when he smokes it, should try a Wadsworth Bros.' Chico. It's in the blue ribbon class, and all alone.

Misses Florence and Gertrude Hoyt were the guests of friends in Findlay Sunday.

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